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# SUMMONS

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Form C-34 Rev. 4/2017 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENT NOTICE TO: JEFFREY HUNTER WHITLOCK, 1707 HIGHWAY 31 SOUTH, SAGINAW, AL 35137 (Name and Address of Defendant) THE COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THIS SUMMONS IS IMPORTANT, AND YOU MUST TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS. YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY ARE REQUIRED TO FILE THE ORIGINAL OF YOUR WRITTEN ANSWER, EITHER ADMITTING OR DENYING EACH ALLEGATION IN THE COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT, WITH THE CLERK OF THIS COURT. A COPY OF YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR HAND DELIVERED BY YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY TO THE PLAINTIFF(S) OR ATTORNEY(S) OF THE PLAINTIFF(S), KENDALL A, LEE [Name(s) of Attorney(s)] WHOSE ADDRESS(ES) IS/ARE: POST OFFICE BOX 661228, BIRMINGHAM, AL 35266 [Address(es) of Plaintiff(s) or Attorney(s)] THE ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THIS SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WERE SERVED ON YOU OR A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE RENDERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER THINGS DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT OR OTHER DOCUMENT. TO ANY SHERIFF OR ANY PERSON AUTHORIZED BY THE ALABAMA RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE TO SERVE PROCESS: ✓ You are hereby commanded to serve this Summons and a copy of the Complaint or other document in this action upon the above-named Defendant. Service by certified mail of this Summons is initiated upon the written request of [Name(s)] pursuant to the Alabama Rules of the Civil Procedure. 10/22/2018 10:10:10 AM /s/ LISA MCSWAIN (Date) (Signature of Clerk) (Name) Certified Mail is hereby requested. (Plaintiff's/Attorney's Signature) **RETURN ON SERVICE** Return receipt of certified mail received in this office on certify that I personally delivered a copy of this Summons and Complaint or other document to County, (Name of County) Alabama on (Phone Number of Server) 25-CV-2016-900001.00 MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENT C001 - ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, DECEASED V. **D003 - JEFFREY HUNTER WHITLOCK MARINA STE** (Plaintiff) (Defendant)

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# IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
As Administrator and Personal	)	
Representative of the ESTATE OF	)	
ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARFIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
V.	)	Civil Action No.: CV 2016-900001
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

# **ANSWER**

COMES NOW, the Defendant, Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock, and for Answer to the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint, and to each count and paragraph thereof, sets forth and assigns the following separate and several defenses:

#### **FIRST DEFENSE**

The Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

# **SECOND DEFENSE**

This Defendant denies each and every material averment of the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint and demands strict proof thereof.

#### THIRD DEFENSE

With respect to each and every material averment of the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint, this Defendant pleads not guilty.

# FOURTH DEFENSE

This Defendant denies he acted negligently as alleged in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint and denies any alleged negligence on his part proximately caused or contributed to cause the Plaintiff's injuries and/or damages.

#### FIFTH DEFENSE

This Defendant denied he acted recklessly and/or wantonly as alleged in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint and denies that any alleged recklessness and/or wantonness on his part proximately caused or contributed to cause the Plaintiff's injuries and/or damages.

#### SIXTH DEFENSE

This Defendant denies there is any causal relationship between any of his alleged actions and/or conduct and the injuries and/or damages allegedly sustained by the Plaintiff.

# **SEVENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant denies that he breached any alleged duty owed to the Plaintiff and demands strict proof thereof.

#### **EIGHTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant pleads assumption of the risk as a defense.

# NINTH DEFENSE

This Defendant pleads contributory negligence as a defense.

#### TENTH DEFENSE

This Defendant alleges that if the Plaintiff suffered any damages, the damages were caused in whole, or in part, by the efficient intervening and/or superseding acts or omissions of third parties for whom this Defendant should not be held responsible.

#### **ELEVENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant pleads the general issue as a defense.

# TWELFTH DEFENSE

This Defendant pleads voluntary intoxication (APJI 3d 30.02) as a defense.

# **THIRTEENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant pleads estoppel, waiver and laches as defenses.

# **FOURTEENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant pleads lack of service of process as a defense.

#### **FIFTEENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant pleads insufficient service of process as a defense.

# **SIXTEENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant pleads improper venue as a defense.

#### SEVENTEENTH DEFENSE

This Defendant pleads the applicable statute of limitations as a defense.

# **EIGHTEENTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant denies the Plaintiff was injured and/or damaged to the nature and extent claimed and contests damages.

#### NINTEENTH DEFENSE

This Defendant says the Plaintiff has failed to mitigate her alleged damages.

## TWENTIETH DEFENSE

This Defendant says that an award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case would be violative of the constitutional safeguards provided to Defendants under the Constitution of the State of Alabama.

#### TWENTY-FIRST DEFENSE

This Defendant says that any award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case would be violative of the constitutional safeguards provided to Defendants under the Constitution of the State of Alabama.

#### TWENTY-SECOND DEFENSE

This Defendant says that any award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case will be violative of the constitutional safeguards provided to Defendants under the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, in that punitive damages are vague and are not rationally related to legitimate government interests.

#### TWENTY-THIRD DEFENSE

This Defendant says that any award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case will be violative of Article I, Section 6 of the Constitution of the State of Alabama, which provides that no person shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property except by due process of law, in that punitive damages are vague and are not rationally related to legitimate government interests.

# **TWENTY-FOURTH DEFENSE**

This Defendant says that any award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case will be violative of the procedural safeguards provided to Defendants under the Sixth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, in that punitive damages are penal in nature and consequently, Defendant is entitled to the same procedural safeguards accorded to criminal Defendants.

#### TWENTY-FIFTH DEFENSE

It is violative of the self-incrimination clause of the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America to impose against this Defendant punitive damages, which are

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penal in nature, yet compel Defendant to disclose potentially incriminating documents and evidence.

# **TWENTY-SIXTH DEFENSE**

It is violative of the self-incrimination clause of Article I, Section 6 of the Constitution of the State of Alabama to impose against this Defendant punitive damages which are penal in nature, yet compel Defendant to disclose potentially incriminating documents and evidence.

#### TWENTY-SEVENTH DEFENSE

It is violative of the rights guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Alabama to impose punitive damages against this Defendant which are penal in nature by requiring a burden of proof on the Plaintiff, which is less than the "beyond a reasonable doubt" burden of proof required in criminal cases.

# TWENTY-EIGHTH DEFENSE

This Defendant says that any award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case will be violative of the Eighth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States in that said damages would be an excessive fine in violation of the Excessive Fines Clause of the Eighth Amendment to the United States Constitution.

# TWENTY-NINTH DEFENSE

This Defendant says that any award of punitive damages to the Plaintiff in this case will be violative of the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States in that it would provide damages to the Plaintiff in excess of the amount determined to be appropriate under the formula adopted by the Alabama Legislature in 1981 in Section 27-1-17, Code of Alabama 1975, as amended.

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# **THIRTIETH DEFENSE**

This Defendant asserts any and all applicable statutory caps or limitations to any claim for punitive damages, including but not limited to, Section 6-11-21, <u>Code of Alabama</u> 1975, as amended.

/s/ David R. Wells
DAVID R. WELLS (WEL016)
Attorney for the Defendant,
Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock

OF COUNSEL:

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# DEFENDANT JEFFREY HUNTER WHITLOCK DEMANDS TRIAL BY STRUCK JURY

/s/ David R. Wells OF COUNSEL

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I hereby certify that I have served a complete copy of the foregoing instrument upon the following attorney of record via the electronic ALAFILE system, on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2018.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 

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/s/ David R. Wells OF COUNSEL

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# IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, DECEASED	) ) ) ) ) CIVIL ACTION CV 2016-900001 )
Plaintiff	
<b>v</b> .	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, ET AL.	

Defendant

# **NOTICE OF POTENTIAL CONFLICT**

COMES NOW the plaintiff, by and through her attorney, Mark W. Lee, and gives notice of a potential conflict on the hearing for motion for summary judgment. For grounds therefore your movant sets forth the following:

- 1. For that the undersigned is scheduled to be in trial in Marshall County beginning November 13, 2018.
- 2. It is anticipated that the case in Marshall County will be finished in time for the hearing on summary judgment scheduled for November 16. However, because this is a jury trial in Marshall County, the potential of an overrun is always possible.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the plaintiff respectfully gives notice to the Court and counsel of the potential conflict of the hearing on motion for summary judgment for November 16, 20018.

s/Mark W. Lee Mark W. Lee Attorney for Plaintiff

## OF COUNSEL:

PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. 600 Vestavia Parkway Suite 300, Shelby Building [P.O. Box 661228 35266-1228] Birmingham, AL 35216 (205) 326-6600

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have on this the 30th day of October , 2018, electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the AlaFile E-system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

Daniel S. Wolter Daniel Wolter Law Firm, LLC 402 Office Park Drive, Suite 100 Birmingham, AL 35223

> s/Mark W. Lee OF COUNSEL

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# IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

CIVIL ACTION NO.
CV-2016-900001

# PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE MEDICAL RECORDS AND PHOTOGRAPHS UNDER SEAL IN RESPONSE TO DEFENDANT DANIEL B. SNYDER'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Comes now the Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, as Administrator and Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, deceased, and respectfully moves this Honorable Court for an Order allowing the Plaintiff to file certain medical records and unclothed photographs under seal as exhibits in support of Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's Motion for Summary Judgment (Doc. 158). As grounds for said Motion, Plaintiff submits the following:

1. The Plaintiff has prepared, and intends to file, a response in opposition to the summary judgment motion (Doc. 158) filed by Defendant Daniel B. Snyder ("Snyder") in this case. The exhibits to be submitted in opposition to summary judgment include, *inter alia*, Snyder's post-accident medical records from Huntsville Hospital, an autopsy photograph of the Plaintiff's decedent, and certain unclothed photographs taken of Snyder on July 8, 2014 by a forensic photographer employed by the Decatur Police

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Department. In the interest of protecting the privacy of the parties while allowing the Court to evaluate all of the facts relevant to this case, the Court should permit those records and photographs to be filed under seal.

Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff respectfully requests this Honorable Court 3. to enter an Order allowing the Plaintiff to file the medical records and photographs identified above under seal as exhibits in opposition to summary judgment.

Respectfully submitted this 31st day of October, 2018.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee Mark W. Lee (LEE003) Kendall A. Lee (LEE091) **Attorneys for Plaintiff** 

# **OF COUNSEL:**

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I hereby certify that I have on this 31st day of October, 2018, electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of the Court using the AlaFile system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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> /s/ Kendall A. Lee OF COUNSEL

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# IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

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Plaintiff,		)	
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SNYDER DANIEL B.,		)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	OWARD,	)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	UNTER,	)	
Defendants.		)	

#### **ORDER**

LEAVE TO FILE RECORDS AND PHOTOGRAPHS UNDER SEAL filed by ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, DECEASED MARINA STE is hereby GRANTED IN PART. The Clerk shall designate such records as "confidential" so that counsel may access same without public access being allowed. Any party utilizing filings which are designated "confidential" shall safeguard same from disbursal to non-parties or non-expert third persons and shall destroy any copies thereof at the close of the instant litigation.

DONE this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2018.

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS CIRCUIT JUDGE

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MAKINA STEWAKT-MAGEE,	)
as Administrator and Personal	)
Representative of the ESTATE	)
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)
	) CIVIL ACTION NO.
Plaintiff,	) CV-2016-900001
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DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)
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Defendants.	)

NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT EXECUTED BY TROOPER JOHN WILLIAMS AND SEARCH WARRANT ISSUED BY THE CIRCUIT COURT OF MORGAN COUNTY

Comes now the Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, as Administrator and Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, deceased, and gives notice of filing the following documents:

- (1) Application and Affidavit for Search Warrant executed by Trooper John Williams on July 8, 2014; and
- (2) Search Warrant issued by the Circuit Court of Morgan County on July 8, 2014.

The search warrant obtained by Trooper Williams is referenced in paragraph 13 of his affidavit (Doc. 216) filed in Opposition to Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's Motion for Summary Judgment.

Respectfully submitted this <u>15<sup>th</sup></u> day of November, 2018.

/s/ Mark W. Lee Mark W. Lee (LEE003) Kendall A. Lee (LEE091) Attorneys for Plaintiff

# **OF COUNSEL:**

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I hereby certify that I have on this <u>15<sup>th</sup></u> day of November, <u>2018</u>, electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of the Court using the AlaFile system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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# IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MORGAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

STATE OF ALABAMA,	aje	
PLAINTIFF,	*	
VS.	*	N: 1
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# APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared John Williams, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

My name is John Williams. I am an Investigator with the Alabama Marine Police and have been in law enforcement for the past 7 years.

I have probable cause to believe that photographs and/or digital images of the unclothed body of Daniel Benjamin Snyder, a white male, date of birth for evidence of or injuries, bruising and/or markings consistent with and constitutes, or is expected to constitute evidence consistent with driving and/or operating and/or control of a personal watercraft involving the above named Daniel Benjamin Snyder, which constitutes or is expected to constitute evidence of a criminal offense under the laws of the State of Alabama, to-wit: Criminally Negligent Homicide and/or Homicide by Vessel and/or Manslaughter and/or Boating Under the Influence and/or Operating without Vessel License

# My belief is based on the following facts:

On July 6, 2014, at approximately 12:35 a.m., I John Williams, was dispatched to a watercraft collision that had occurred at a given location of dock address 1497 County Road 855, Crane Hill, Alabama, in Cullman County Alabama. The collision had involved two individuals, a white male identified as Daniel Benjamin Snyder and a white female identified as Albina Agdasovna Sharifullina.

Upon arrival on scene, I ascertained that Daniel Benjamin Snyder had sustained serious injuries and had been air lifted from the scene to Huntsville Hospital for treatment. The female Albina Sharifullina was laying on the dock ramp floatation. Paramedics still on scene informed me she was deceased and based upon their training and experience it was due to the collision. I began an investigation to determine if any other persons were involved in the collision and made

a determination that there was not. As part of the investigation, I located a wrecked jet ski watercraft that was tied to the dock located at 1497 County Road 855, I observed the jet ski watercraft on scene and identified holes in the hull and the lanyard for the emergency shut off device still intact and tied to the watercraft. As part of the investigation, I observed the damage to the dock that would be consistent with a collision involving that type of watercraft. Also on the dock, I observed what I believed to be blood and remains of human flesh.

Further in my investigation, information was given to me by multiple witnesses on scene that they saw a male slumped over the stabilizing cable where it was joined to the dock. Also the witnesses informed me they saw the males head down in the water but his nose and-mouth were not submerged and he was still breathing but unresponsive. Upon talking with paramedics on scene, I was informed the male had head injuries and other bodily injuries consistent with a collision.

Further as part of my investigation, I contacted Huntsville Hospital to ascertain the medical condition of what was believed to be life threatening injuries to the male identified as Daniel Benjamin Snyder. Upon being informed that he was alive, as part of my investigation involving collisions of this type, I made a request for the medical staff to do a toxicology of his blood. Later on same date of the collision of July 6, 2014, I was informed that Daniel Benjamin Snyder had been released.

As part of my investigation of the collision, I have not been able to determine the driver of the jet ski watercraft at the time of the collision occurred.

Further, as part of my duties and experience as an Alabama Marine Police, I have investigated multiple watercraft collisions and have knowledge of the type of injuries, bruising and/or markings consistent with and sustained to the body of individuals involved and/or in control of personal watercraft.

Therefore, the affiant believes that based on the foregoing facts and information that affiant has probable cause to believe that injuries, bruising and/or markings consistent with and constitutes, or is expected to constitute evidence consistent with driving and/or operating and/or control of a personal watercraft and is pertinent to the investigation of said collision and of a criminal offense under the laws of the State of Alabama, and that the same is on/within the person of the above named and described Daniel Benjamin Snyder, and is subject to seizure and makes this affidavit so that a warrant may be issued to take photographs and/or digital images of the unclothed body of the said Daniel Benjamin Snyder.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6 day of

\_\_, 2014.

Judge of the District Court

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# **ORDER DENYING SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

This matter was before the Court this date for hearing on Motion For Summary Judgment filed herein on behalf of Defendant, DANIEL B. SNYDER. Present were: Hon. Daniel S. Wolter for Defendant, SNYDER; and Hon. Marcus Lee for Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, Administrator and Personal Representative of ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, Deceased.

Initially, the Court addressed the matter of Motion To Strike the Affidavit of Trooper John M. Williams. For the purpose of the Motion For Summary Judgment, the Court does Grant the Motion To Strike as to hearsay information contained in Trooper Williams' Affidavit which was submitted on behalf of Plaintiff. Whether Trooper Williams may be qualified as an expert for trial purposes is yet to be determined and counsel anticipate further deposition inquiry to establish this issue.

After review of the other written submissions and argument of counsel, however, the Court finds that genuine issues of material fact exist which preclude Summary Judgment in favor of Defendant, SNYDER.

Therefore, the Motion For Summary Judgment is respectfully DENIED.

DONE this 16th day of November, 2018.

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS
CIRCUIT JUDGE

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- 3. The term "address" as used herein shall mean the complete street, street number, city, state, post office box or route, and box address of the subject person as that term is applied in definition number two above.

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- The phrase "your family's dock" as used herein shall mean the dock on 4. Smith Lake located at 680 County Road Highway 218, Bremen, Alabama 35033.
- The phrases "your family's lake home" and "your family's lake home 5. property" as used herein shall mean the property on Smith Lake located at 680 County Road Highway 218, Bremen, Alabama 35033.

## **INTERROGATORIES**

- State your full name, date of birth, and current residential address. 1.
- Please identify every cell phone number and provider that you had on July 2. 5, 2014. For each account, please provide the cell phone number, the cell phone provider, the type of cell phone (e.g., iPhone 3, iPhone 4, Galaxy S, etc.), and state whether the account is still active.
- 3. State the name, telephone number, and last known address of all persons who visited your family's lake home property on Saturday, July 5, 2014.
- State the name, telephone number, and last known address of all persons 4. who visited your family's lake home property between 6:00 p.m. and 11:59 p.m. on Saturday, July 5, 2014.
- State the name, telephone number, and last known address of every person 5. who was inside your family's lake home when Defendant Daniel B. Snyder and Albina ("Alya") Sharifullina departed your family's dock on Daniel Snyder's SeaDoo shortly after midnight on Sunday, July 6, 2014.
- State the name, telephone number, and last known address of every person 6. who was on your family's lake home property when Defendant Daniel B. Snyder and Albina ("Alya") Sharifullina departed your family's dock on Daniel Snyder's SeaDoo shortly after midnight on Sunday, July 6, 2014.

- State the name, telephone number, and last known address of each and
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- 8. Describe, in specific detail, the location where Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's SeaDoo was parked at your family's dock in the evening hours of July 5, 2014. In responding to this interrogatory, please identify the specific side of the dock where the SeaDoo was parked and the direction in which the SeaDoo was facing while parked. Please also state whether the SeaDoo was parked in a SeaDoo slip or boat slip.
- 9. Describe, in specific detail, the location where Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's SeaDoo personal watercraft was parked at your family's dock when you accompanied Daniel B. Snyder and Albina ("Alya") Sharifullina to the dock shortly after midnight on July 6, 2014. In responding to this interrogatory, please identify the specific side of the dock where the SeaDoo was parked and the direction in which the SeaDoo was facing while parked. Please also state whether the SeaDoo was parked in a SeaDoo slip or boat slip.
- 10. Did you consume or take any alcoholic beverages, drugs, or medications on July 5, 2014? If so, please identify the substance consumed and state the quantity of the substance consumed, the time(s) of consumption, and the location where the consumption took place.
- 11. State whether any policy or policies of insurance (including any umbrellas or excess policies) exist which may provide coverage to you for any liability which may arise as a result of the incident described in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint. For each such policy, state the following:

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The name and address of the insurer; (a)

(b) The policy number;

The amount of liability insurance coverage afforded by each such policy; (c)

(d) The name and address of each and every named insured under such policy:

and

Whether any such insurer is defending you in this matter under a (e)

reservation of rights.

Have you been a party to any other personal injury and/or wrongful death 12.

claims or lawsuits? If so, state the nature of the claim(s) and/or lawsuit(s), and provide

the names of all claimants, parties, and persons involved in each claim and/or lawsuit.

State the names and addresses of all of your relatives, by blood or marriage, 13.

who are over the age of eighteen (18) years and who reside in Cullman County, Alabama.

14. Identify the person(s) who answered these interrogatories or who

contributed any information used in answering these interrogatories. If more than one

person provided the answers or contributed such information, identify the specific

interrogatories answered by each person and the information provided.

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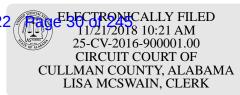
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  <u>Howard Whitlock</u> regarding the events described in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint.
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  <u>Snyder regarding the events described in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint.</u>
- 7. Produce a copy of the Facebook message you received from Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's brother, Aaron Snyder, regarding the events described in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint.
- 8. Produce a copy of all written communications, including, but not limited to, text messages, e-mails, and other correspondence, between you and <u>Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's brother, Aaron Snyder</u>, regarding the events described in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint.

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9. Produce a copy of all written communications, including, but not limited to,

text messages, e-mails, and other correspondence, between you and your sister, <u>Hollace</u>

Whitlock, regarding the events described in the Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint.

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The phrase "your dock" as used herein shall mean the dock on Smith Lake 4. located at 680 County Road Highway 218, Bremen, Alabama 35033.

The phrases "your lake home" and "your lake home property" as used herein 5. shall mean the property on Smith Lake located at 680 County Road Highway 218, Bremen, Alabama 35033.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- These interrogatories are continuing in nature, requiring the Defendant to 1. timely supplement his answers if and when required pursuant to the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure.
- In the event any answer is withheld or limited on the basis of a claimed 2. privilege, provide the reason for withholding or limiting your response, and state the factual basis for your claim of privilege.
- If an interrogatory cannot be answered in full, state the answer to the extent 3. possible and specify the reasons for which you cannot respond fully.

#### **INTERROGATORIES**

- State your full name, date of birth, current residential address, and social 1. security number.
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  - The policy number; (b)
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#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
as Administrator and Personal	)	
<b>Representative of the ESTATE</b>	)	
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	) CIVIL ACTI	ION NO.
Plaintiff,	) CV-2016-9	000001
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO SERVE SUBPOENA ON NON-PARTY HUNTSVILLE HOSPITAL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, upon the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the date of service of this notice, Plaintiff MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, by and through her attorneys, Kendall A. Lee and Mark W. Lee, will apply to the Clerk of this Court for issuance of the attached subpoena directed to Huntsville Hospital, Attn: Medical Records Custodian, 101 Sivley Road, Huntsville, Alabama 35801, to produce and certify copies of the documents, materials and/or electronically stored information specified in the attached subpoena.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

KENDALL A. LEE (LEE091)
MARK W. LEE (LEE003)
Attorneys for Plaintiff

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have on this  $\underline{20^{th}}$  day of December, 2018, electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of the Court using the AlaFile electronic filing system, which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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/s/ Kendall A. Lee OF COUNSEL

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
as Administrator and Personal	)	
Representative of the ESTATE	)	
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	)	CIVIL ACTION NO.
Plaintiff,	)	CV-2016-900001
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

#### CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: Huntsville Hospital
Attn: Medical Records Custodian
101 Sivley Road
Huntsville, Alabama 35801

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure you are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the Plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena:

That you produce a certified, accurate, legible, and complete copy of original records and permit the Plaintiff to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

All medical records, including emergency room records, inpatient records, outpatient records, trauma flow sheets, reports, tests and test results, consultant reports, admit sheets, histories, x-rays, x-ray reports, radiographic reports, lab reports, nurses notes, physicians notes and orders, charts, graphs, discharge summaries, operative reports, correspondence, and any and all other records and materials pertaining to the following patient:

Daniel Benjamin Snyder 2024 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue North, Apt. 1804 Birmingham, Alabama 35203 DOB: 8/26/1974

DOB: 8/26/1974 SSN: xxx-xx-6318 The produced documents shall include all documents in your possession regarding the above-named patient, regardless of whether or not said documents are considered to be part of the chart or medical record and regardless of whether or not said documents or records were originally generated by you or by some other health care provider. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed, and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 C.F.R., Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

Plaintiff agrees to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by you in connection with the production of said documents. Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you. You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

You may mail a certified, accurate, legible and complete copy of the requested documents and records to **Kendall A. Lee, Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C., 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300, Birmingham, Alabama 35216**, but you may condition such activity on your part upon the payment in advance by the party causing the issuance of this subpoena of the reasonable costs of the making of such copies. **PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THIS SUBPOENA TO YOUR RECORDS.** 

You have the right to object at any time prior to the date set forth in this subpoena for compliance. Should you choose to object, you should communicate such objection in writing to the party causing the issuance of this subpoena and stating, with respect to any item or category to which objection is made, your reasons for such objection.

Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure provides, in relevant part, as follows:

#### (c) Protection of Persons Subject to Subpoenas.

(1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing under undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the

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subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.

- (2)(A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, documents or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.
  - Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to (B) produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designated in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person which is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
- (3)(A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
  - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
- requires a resident of this state who is not a party or an officer of (ii) a party to travel to a place more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, or requires a nonresident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place within this state more than one hundred (100) miles from the place of service or, where separate from the place of service, more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that, subject to the provisions of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
- requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no (iii) exception or waiver applies, or
  - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.

#### (B) If a subpoena

requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, (i) development, or commercial information, or

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- requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or (ii) information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, or
- requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expense to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.

#### **Duties in Responding to Subpoena.**

- A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.
- When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim (2) that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.

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Dated	this	_ day of	, 20	18.	
				/s/ Kendall A. Lee	
				Kendall A. Lee (LEE091)	
				Attorney for Plaintiff	

**OF COUNSEL:** PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.

Ala. R. Civ. P. 45(c)-(d)(1)(2).

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12/20/2018 5:08 PM 25-CV-2016-900001.00 CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA LISA MCSWAIN, CLERK

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)
as Administrator and Personal	)
Representative of the ESTATE	)
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)
Plaintiff,	) CIVIL ACTION NO. ) CV-2016-900001
v.	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)
Defendants.	)

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO SERVE SUBPOENA ON NON-PARTY DAVID J. GRAY, M.D.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, upon the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the date of service of this notice, Plaintiff MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, by and through her attorneys, Kendall A. Lee and Mark W. Lee, will apply to the Clerk of this Court for issuance of the attached subpoena directed to David J. Gray, M.D., Attn: Medical Records Custodian, 4601 Whitesburg Drive SE, Suite 103, Huntsville, Alabama 35802, to produce and certify copies of the documents, materials and/or electronically stored information specified in the attached subpoena.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

KENDALL A. LEE (LEE091) MARK W. LEE (LEE003)

Attorneys for Plaintiff

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

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> /s/ Kendall A. Lee OF COUNSEL

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
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Representative of the ESTATE	)	
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	)	CIVIL ACTION NO.
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	)	
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	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

#### CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: David J. Gray, M.D.
Attn: Medical Records Custodian

4601 Whitesburg Drive SE, Suite 103 Huntsville, Alabama 35802

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure you are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the Plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena:

That you produce a certified, accurate, legible, and complete copy of original records and permit the Plaintiff to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

All medical records, including emergency room records, inpatient records, outpatient records, reports, tests and test results, consultant reports, admit sheets, histories, x-rays, x-ray reports, radiographic reports, lab reports, nurses notes, physicians notes and orders, charts, graphs, discharge summaries, operative reports, correspondence, and any and all other records and materials pertaining to the following patient:

Daniel Benjamin Snyder 2024 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue North, Apt. 1804 Birmingham, Alabama 35203 DOB: 8/26/1974

<u>DOB:</u> 8/26/19/4 SSN: xxx-xx-6318 The produced documents shall include all documents in your possession regarding the above-named patient, regardless of whether or not said documents are considered to be part of the chart or medical record and regardless of whether or not said documents or records were originally generated by you or by some other health care provider. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed, and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 C.F.R., Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

Plaintiff agrees to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by you in connection with the production of said documents. Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you. You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

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subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.

- (2)(A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, documents or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.
  - Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to (B) produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designated in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person which is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
- (3)(A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
  - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
- requires a resident of this state who is not a party or an officer of (ii) a party to travel to a place more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, or requires a nonresident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place within this state more than one hundred (100) miles from the place of service or, where separate from the place of service, more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that, subject to the provisions of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
- (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
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#### (B) If a subpoena

requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, (i) development, or commercial information, or

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- requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, or
- requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expense to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.

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Dated this	day of	, 2018.
		/s/ Kendall A. Lee
		Kendall A. Lee (LEE091)
		Attorney for Plaintiff

**OF COUNSEL:** PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.

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as Administrator and Personal	)	
Representative of the ESTATE	)	
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	) CIVIL ACTION NO.	
Plaintiff,	) CV-2016-900001	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

#### NOTICE OF INTENT TO SERVE SUBPOENA ON NON-PARTY AIR METHODS d/b/a LIFE SAVER

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, upon the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the date of service of this notice, Plaintiff MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, by and through her attorneys, Kendall A. Lee and Mark W. Lee, will apply to the Clerk of this Court for issuance of the attached subpoena directed to Air Methods d/b/a Life Saver, Attn: Custodian of Records, 1822 Pineview Circle, Rainbow City, Alabama 35906, to produce and certify copies of the documents, materials and/or electronically stored information specified in the attached subpoena.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

KENDALL A. LEE (LEE091)
MARK W. LEE (LEE003)
Attorneys for Plaintiff

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

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/s/ Kendall A. Lee OF COUNSEL

### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

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as Administrator and Personal	)	
Representative of the ESTATE	)	
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	)	CIVIL ACTION NO.
Plaintiff,	)	CV-2016-900001
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

#### CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: Air Methods d/b/a Life Saver Attn: Custodian of Records 1822 Pineview Circle Rainbow City, Alabama 35906

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure you are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the Plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena:

That you produce a certified, accurate, legible, and complete copy of original records and permit the Plaintiff to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

All medical records, patient charts, patient care reports, logs, histories, notes, correspondence, flight information, and all other records and materials concerning the following patient/individual:

Daniel Benjamin Snyder

DOB: 8/26/1974 SSN: xxx-xx-6318

Date of Service: 7/6/2014

The produced documents shall include all documents in your possession regarding the above-named patient, regardless of whether or not said documents are considered to be part of the chart or medical record and regardless of whether or not said documents or records were originally generated by you or by some other health care provider. **Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment** 

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of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed, and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 C.F.R., Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

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Ala. R. Civ. P. 45(c)-(d)	0(1)(2).	
Dated this	day of	, 2018.
		/s/ Kendall A. Lee
		Kendall A. Lee (LEE091)
		Attorney for Plaintiff

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.

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Facsimile: (205) 324-7097

klee@pljpc.com

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RETURN ON SERVICE: Executed by leaving a copy with	Clerk of the Court	_
on this the day of, 2018.	By Deputy Clerk	
BY: Deputy Sheriff or Process Server		

CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA LISA MCSWAIN, CLERK

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
Who sues as Administrator and	)	
<b>Personal Representative of the Estate of</b>	)	
ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, Deceased,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	Case No.: CV 16-900001
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

#### NOTICE TO CLERK OF FILING DISCOVERY

TO: Circuit Clerk of Cullman County

**Cullman County Courthouse** 

Please take notice that the following discovery document has been filed on behalf of defendant:

Deposition Notice-Trooper John Williams (X)

> /s/Daniel S. Wolter\_ Daniel S. Wolter (WOL012) Attorney for Daniel B. Snyder

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

Daniel Wolter Law Firm, LLC 402 Office Park Drive, Ste 100 Birmingham, Alabama 35223 (205) 983-6440 Telephone (205) 983-6334 Facsimile

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this  $21^{st}$  day of December, 2018 the foregoing was electronically filed with the Clerk of this Court using the Court's electronic system, which will send notification of such filing to the following:

Kendall A. Lee PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, Alabama 35216

David R. Wells MUDD, BOLVIG, LUKE & WELLS, LLC 2011 4th Avenue North Birmingham, AL 35203

/s/ Daniel S. Wolter
OF COUNSEL

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DANIEL B. SNYDER,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

### RULE 30 (B)(5) NOTICE OF TAKING DEPOSITION AND REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

TO: Kendall A. Lee
PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.
600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300
Birmingham, Alabama 35216

Please take notice that at the time, date and place indicated below, the defendant will take the testimony by deposition upon oral examination of that party named. Such deposition shall be taken for the purpose of discovery or for use as evidence in this action pursuant to the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure and shall be taken before a certified court reporter and notary public, or some other person who is authorized to administer oaths under the laws of the State of Alabama. The oral examination will continue from time to time until completed.

DATE: January 24, 2019

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

**DEPONENT:** Trooper John Williams

PLACE: PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.

600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, Alabama 35216

Daniel Snyder request the following documents be produced at the deposition:

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- Any and all documents, correspondence or reference of any type you have in your possession relating to Albina Sharifullina, Daniel Snyder, or the accident in which Sharifullina was killed on July 6, 2014.
- Any and all documents, correspondence or reference of any type you have in your 2. possession relating to plaintiff lawyer's firm and correspondence relating to plaintiff lawyer's firm.
- 3. Any and all reports prepared by you relating to any opinions you intend to give at the trial.
- 4. Any and all books, manuals, procedures and policies you reviewed in preparation of your opinion.
- A listing of all cases in which you have provided expert testimony of any kind including deposition testimony or trial testimony.
- 6. A listing of all attorneys that have ever retained you to provide an expert opinion of any kind including deposition testimony or trial testimony.
  - 7. A copy of the autopsy report relating to Albina Sharifullina.
- 8. All documents, photographs or items of any type that you reviewed or that you relied upon in reaching your opinions.
  - 9. Your entire investigative file relating to the accident involved in this case.
- 10. Any recordings of any witness statements taken in your investigation of the accident at issued in this case.

/s/Daniel S. Wolter\_ Daniel S. Wolter (WOL012) Attorney for Daniel B. Snyder

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> /s/ Daniel S. Wolter\_\_\_\_ OF COUNSEL

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# SUMMONS

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25-CV-2016-900001.00 CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA LISA MCSWAIN, CLERK

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA		
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HUNTSVILLE CUSTODIAN 101 SIVLEY HUNTSVILLE	HOSPITAL  OF RECORD  ROAD	A. Issued at the request of:  1. ✓ Plaintiff/State  2. ☐ Defendant  3. ☐ Grand Jury  B. Special Instructions You are ordered to:  1. ☐ Appear at trial  2. ✓ Produce records or documents-See attached schedule(s)  3. ☐ Appear at deposition  4. ☐ Other  IRMINGHAM, AL 35266 (205) 326-6600
YOU ARE ORDE	RED TO APPEAR to give testimony before the co	urt or by deposition; and/or produce and permit inspection and
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#### **NOTICE**

With respect to a subpoena which seeks only a production of documents or tangible things or an inspection of premises, as provided in Ala.R.Civ.P 45(a) (3) (C), the production of documents or tangible things or the inspection of premises pursuant to this subpoena shall take place where the documents or tangible things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by the recipient of this subpoena. As recipient of this subpoena, you have the option to deliver or mail legible copies of the documents or things to the party causing issuance of this subpoena, and the preparation of copies may be conditioned on the payment in advance of the reasonable cost of making such copies. Other parties involved in this lawsuit have the right to be present at the time of the production or inspection. The recipient of this subpoena has the right to object to the production or inspection at any time prior to the date of production or inspection set forth in this subpoena. See Ala. R.Civ.P. 45(c) (2) (B), which is set out below.

Rule 45, Ala. R.Civ.P., Paragraphs (c) & (d)

- (c) Protection of person subject to subpoenas.
  - (1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty on appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.
  - (2) (A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, document or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.
    - (B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designed in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person who is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
  - (3) (A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
    - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
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  - (3) If a subpoena does not specify the form or forms for producing electronically stored information, a person responding to a subpoena must produce the information in a form or forms in which the person ordinarily maintains it or in a form or forms that are reasonably usable.
  - (4) A person responding to a subpoena need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
  - (5) A person responding to a subpoena need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources the person identifies to the requesting party as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or to quash, the person from whom discovery is sought must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(B). The court may specify conditions regarding the production of the discovery.
  - (6) If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person or party making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. Any party or the producing person may promptly present the information to the court under seal for a determination of the claim. If the receiving party disclosed the information before being notified, it must take reasonable steps to retrieve it. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.

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DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

### CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: Huntsville Hospital
Attn: Medical Records Custodian
101 Sivley Road

Huntsville, Alabama 35801

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure you are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the Plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena:

That you produce a certified, accurate, legible, and complete copy of original records and permit the Plaintiff to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

All medical records, including emergency room records, inpatient records, outpatient records, trauma flow sheets, reports, tests and test results, consultant reports, admit sheets, histories, x-rays, x-ray reports, radiographic reports, lab reports, nurses notes, physicians notes and orders, charts, graphs, discharge summaries, operative reports, correspondence, and any and all other records and materials pertaining to the following patient:

Daniel Benjamin Snyder 2024 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue North, Apt. 1804 Birmingham, Alabama 35203

DOB: 8/26/1974 SSN: xxx-xx-6318 The produced documents shall include all documents in your possession regarding the above-named patient, regardless of whether or not said documents are considered to be part of the chart or medical record and regardless of whether or not said documents or records were originally generated by you or by some other health care provider. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed, and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 C.F.R., Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

Plaintiff agrees to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by you in connection with the production of said documents. Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you. You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

You may mail a certified, accurate, legible and complete copy of the requested documents and records to Kendall A. Lee, Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C., 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300, Birmingham, Alabama 35216, but you may condition such activity on your part upon the payment in advance by the party causing the issuance of this subpoena of the reasonable costs of the making of such copies. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THIS SUBPOENA TO YOUR RECORDS.

You have the right to object at any time prior to the date set forth in this subpoena for compliance. Should you choose to object, you should communicate such objection in writing to the party causing the issuance of this subpoena and stating, with respect to any item or category to which objection is made, your reasons for such objection.

Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure provides, in relevant part, as follows:

### (c) Protection of Persons Subject to Subpoenas.

(1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing under undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the

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subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.

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Ala. R. Civ. P. 45(c)-(d)(1)(2).

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2018.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee Kendall A. Lee (LEE091) Attorney for Plaintiff

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DONE this 19th day of October, 2018.

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS CIRCUIT JUDGE Case 5:22 ev 00010 MHH Decument 1 3 Filed 01/04/22 ORDER TO APPEAR Cas

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# (SUBPOENA)

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DR. DAVID J	. GRAY	2. Defendant	
		3. Grand Jury	
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SUITE 103		1. Appear at trial	
HUNTSVILLE	E, AL 35802	2. ✓ Produce records or documents-See attached schedule(s)	
1		3. Appear at deposition	
		4. Other	
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You may contact	EXECUTE: KENDALL A. LEE POST OFFICE BOX 661228	BIRMINGHAM, AL 35266 (205) 326-6600	
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	Birmingham, AL 35216		
DATE ISSUED:	1/7/2019		
/s/ LISA MCSWA	IN		
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TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA You are ordered to serve this order on the above named person and make return to this OR ANY AUTHORIZED PERSON: court.			
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#### **NOTICE**

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Rule 45, Ala. R.Civ.P., Paragraphs (c) & (d)

- (c) Protection of person subject to subpoenas.
  - (1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty on appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.
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    - (B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designed in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person who is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
  - (3) (A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
    - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
    - (ii) requires a resident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place more than one hundred (100) miles form the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, or requires a nonresident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place within this state more than one hundred (100) miles from the place of service or, where separate from the place of service, more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that, subject to the provision of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
    - (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
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- (d) Duties in responding to subpoena.
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  - (2) When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.
  - (3) If a subpoena does not specify the form or forms for producing electronically stored information, a person responding to a subpoena must produce the information in a form or forms in which the person ordinarily maintains it or in a form or forms that are reasonably usable.
  - (4) A person responding to a subpoena need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
  - (5) A person responding to a subpoena need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources the person identifies to the requesting party as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or to quash, the person from whom discovery is sought must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(B). The court may specify conditions regarding the production of the discovery.
  - (6) If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person or party making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. Any party or the producing person may promptly present the information to the court under seal for a determination of the claim. If the receiving party disclosed the information before being notified, it must take reasonable steps to retrieve it. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.

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25-CV-2016-900001.00 CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA LISA MCSWAIN, CLERK

### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)
as Administrator and Personal	)
Representative of the ESTATE	)
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)
	) CIVIL ACTION NO.
Plaintiff,	) CV-2016-900001
	)
<b>V.</b>	)
	)
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)
	)
Defendants.	)

### CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: David J. Gray, M.D.

Attn: Medical Records Custodian 4601 Whitesburg Drive SE, Suite 103 Huntsville, Alabama 35802

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure you are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the Plaintiff, Marina Stewart-Magee, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena:

That you produce a certified, accurate, legible, and complete copy of original records and permit the Plaintiff to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

All medical records, including emergency room records, inpatient records, outpatient records, reports, tests and test results, consultant reports, admit sheets, histories, x-rays, x-ray reports, radiographic reports, lab reports, nurses notes, physicians notes and orders, charts, graphs, discharge summaries, operative reports, correspondence, and any and all other records and materials pertaining to the following patient:

Daniel Benjamin Snyder 2024 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue North, Apt. 1804 Birmingham, Alabama 35203 DOB: 8/26/1974

SSN: xxx-xx-6318

The produced documents shall include all documents in your possession regarding the above-named patient, regardless of whether or not said documents are considered to be part of the chart or medical record and regardless of whether or not said documents or records were originally generated by you or by some other health care provider. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed, and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 C.F.R., Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

Plaintiff agrees to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by you in connection with the production of said documents. Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you. You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

You may mail a certified, accurate, legible and complete copy of the requested documents and records to **Kendall A. Lee, Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C., 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300, Birmingham, Alabama 35216**, but you may condition such activity on your part upon the payment in advance by the party causing the issuance of this subpoena of the reasonable costs of the making of such copies. **PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THIS SUBPOENA TO YOUR RECORDS.** 

You have the right to object at any time prior to the date set forth in this subpoena for compliance. Should you choose to object, you should communicate such objection in writing to the party causing the issuance of this subpoena and stating, with respect to any item or category to which objection is made, your reasons for such objection.

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subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.

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DONE this 19th day of October, 2018,

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      - (iii) requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expenses to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.
- (d) Duties in responding to subpoena.
  - (1) A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.
  - (2) When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.
  - (3) If a subpoena does not specify the form or forms for producing electronically stored information, a person responding to a subpoena must produce the information in a form or forms in which the person ordinarily maintains it or in a form or forms that are reasonably usable.
  - (4) A person responding to a subpoena need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
  - (5) A person responding to a subpoena need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources the person identifies to the requesting party as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or to quash, the person from whom discovery is sought must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(B). The court may specify conditions regarding the production of the discovery.
  - (6) If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person or party making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. Any party or the producing person may promptly present the information to the court under seal for a determination of the claim. If the receiving party disclosed the information before being notified, it must take reasonable steps to retrieve it. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.

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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)
as Administrator and Personal	)
Representative of the ESTATE	)
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)
	) CIVIL ACTION NO.
Plaintiff,	) CV-2016-900001
	)
<b>V.</b>	)
	)
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)
	)
Defendants.	)

### CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: Air Methods d/b/a Life Saver Attn: Custodian of Records 1822 Pineview Circle Rainbow City, Alabama 35906

Pursuant to Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure you are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the Plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena:

That you produce a certified, accurate, legible, and complete copy of original records and permit the Plaintiff to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

All medical records, patient charts, patient care reports, logs, histories, notes, correspondence, flight information, and all other records and materials concerning the following patient/individual:

Daniel Benjamin Snyder

DOB: 8/26/1974 SSN: xxx-xx-6318

Date of Service: 7/6/2014

The produced documents shall include all documents in your possession regarding the above-named patient, regardless of whether or not said documents are considered to be part of the chart or medical record and regardless of whether or not said documents or records were originally generated by you or by some other health care provider. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment

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of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family. Nothing in this subpoena permits disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed, and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 C.F.R., Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

Plaintiff agrees to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by you in connection with the production of said documents. Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you. You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

You may mail a certified, accurate, legible and complete copy of the requested documents and records to Kendall A. Lee, Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C., 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300, Birmingham, Alabama 35216, but you may condition such activity on your part upon the payment in advance by the party causing the issuance of this subpoena of the reasonable costs of the making of such copies. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THIS SUBPOENA TO YOUR RECORDS.

You have the right to object at any time prior to the date set forth in this subpoena for compliance. Should you choose to object, you should communicate such objection in writing to the party causing the issuance of this subpoena and stating, with respect to any item or category to which objection is made, your reasons for such objection.

Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure provides, in relevant part, as follows:

### (c) Protection of Persons Subject to Subpoenas.

(1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing under undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.

- (2)(A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, documents or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.
  - (B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designated in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person which is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
- (3)(A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
  - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
- (ii) requires a resident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, or requires a nonresident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place within this state more than one hundred (100) miles from the place of service or, where separate from the place of service, more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that, subject to the provisions of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
- (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
  - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.
- (B) If a subpoena
- (i) requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information, or

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- requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, or
- requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expense to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.

### Duties in Responding to Subpoena.

- (1) A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.
- When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.

Ala. R. Civ. P. 45(c)-(d)(1)(2).

Dated this 1 th day of January, 2018. 9

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

Kendall A. Lee (LEE091) Attorney for Plaintiff

OF COUNSEL:

PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C.

600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, Alabama 35216 Telephone: (205) 326-6600

Facsimile: (205) 324-7097

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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA DECEASED MARINA STE, Plaintiff,	) )	
V.	)·Case No.:	CV-2016-900001.00
SNYDER DANIEL B., WHITLOCK JEFFREY HOWARD, WHITLOCK JEFFREY HUNTER, Defendants.	) ) ) )	

### HIPAA ORDER IN CIVIL ACTION

Upon compliance with Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, the attorneys for the parties are permitted to inspect and copy all health information relating to the medical treatment and physical condition of Daniel B. Snyder following the incident made the basis of this lawsuit, including all information relating to the provision of health care to Daniel B. Snyder as a result of the subject incident. Subject to the provisions of Rule 26 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure pertaining to the scope and limits of discovery, the attorneys for the parties to this lawsuit may request an interview with any health care provider, health plan administrator, or other individual in connection with the aforementioned health information and payments therefore (such information collectively referred to hereafter as "Protected Health Information"). Such health care provider, health plan administrator, or other individual may grant or deny a request for an interview.

This Order authorizes any third party who is provided with a subpoena requesting the production of documents or commanding attendance at deposition or trial to disclose Protected Health Information in response to such request or subpoena. This Order is intended to authorize such disclosures under Section 164.512(e)(1) of the privacy regulations issued pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to relieve any party or attorney of the requirements of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure. Nothing in this Order permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family, nor does this Order permit disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

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Nothing in this Order shall be construed to authorize any party or any attorney for any party to release, exchange, submit or share any Protected Health Information with any other person or any other entity, other than an agent or employee of the attorney or party. The parties are prohibited from using or disclosing the protected health information for any purpose other than this litigation or proceeding for which such information was requested" pursuant to the requirements of 45 C.F.R. § 164.512(e)(1)(v)(A).

At the immediate conclusion of this action and at the written request of an individual whose Protected Health Information has been disclosed, or such individual's authorized representative, all recipients of the Protected Health Information shall return to the requesting party the documents and all copies thereof containing Protected Health Information received by them pursuant to this Order. If a written request is not made at the immediate conclusion of this action, all recipients of the Protected Health Information reserve the right to destroy such documents and any copies thereof containing Protected Health Information received by them pursuant to this Order. Such Protected Health Information received in an insurance claim file and law firm litigation file may be retained to allow compliance to the extent and for the period that such retention is required by Alabama insurance laws and the Alabama State Bar rules and regulations.

A photocopy of the Order shall be deemed as an original.

DONE this 19th day of October, 2018.

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS **CIRCUIT JUDGE** 

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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)
As Administrator and Personal	)
Representative of the ESTATE OF	)
ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARFIFULLINA, deceased,	)
Plaintiff,	) )
v.	) Civil Action No.: CV 2016-900001
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.	)
Defendant.	)

### **DEFENDANTS MOTION TO CONTINUE**

COME NOW, the Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock ("Whitlocks") and move this Court to enter an Order continuing the Trial of this case from its current setting and as grounds for such show unto the Court as follows:

- 1. This case is currently set for a jury Trial the week of February 11, 2009.
- 2. The Plaintiff filed an Amended Complaint on July 12, 2018 adding the Whitlocks as party Defendants in this case.
- Jeffrey Howard Whitlock was served with the Amended Complaint on July 27, 2018 and an Answer was filed on his behalf on August 12, 2018.
- Jeffery Hunter Whitlock was served with the Complaint on or about October 30, 2018
   (Alacourt shows November 30, 2018) and an Answer was filed on his behalf on October 30, 2018.
- 5. Considerable discovery was completed, including the taking of several depositions, prior to the Whitlocks being added as parties to this lawsuit.

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6. The Whitlocks have not had sufficient time to adequately prepare to defend

themselves in this case and need time to conduct additional discovery.

7. No party will be prejudiced by a continuance of the Trial.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey

Hunter Whitlock pray that this Court will enter an Order continuing the Trial of this case from its

current setting for the foregoing reasons.

/s/ David R. Wells
DAVID R. WELLS (WEL016)
Attorney for the Defendant,
Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock

OF COUNSEL:

MUDD, BOLVIG, LUKE & WELLS, LLC 2011 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue North Birmingham, AL 35203 (205) 639-5300 (205) 639-5350 *facsimile* dwells@wmslawfirm.com

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have served a complete copy of the foregoing instrument upon the following attorney of record via the electronic ALAFILE system, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019.

Mark W. Lee Kendall A. Lee PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. 600 Vestavia Parkway Suite 300 Birmingham, AL 35216 (205) 326-6600 mlee@pljpc.com klee@pljpc.com

Daniel S. Wolter DANIEL WOLTER LAW FIRM, LLC 402 Office Park Drive Suite 100 Birmingham, AL 35223 dwolter@wolterlawfirm.com

> /s/ David R. Wells OF COUNSEL

Case Number: State of Alabama ORDER TO APPEAR Unified Judicial System (SUBPOENA) 25-CV-2016-900001.00 Form C-13 (front) Rev. 4/18 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA State of Alabama Municipality of \_ MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENT (For Juvenile cases only): In the Matter of A. Issued at the request of : ✓ Plaintiff/State 2. Defendant AIR METHODS D/B/A LIFE SAVER 3. Grand Jury B. Special Instructions CUSTODIAN OF RECORD You are ordered to: **1822 PINEVIEW CIRCLE** 1. Appear at trial **RAINBOW CITY, AL 35906** 2. Produce records or documents-See attached schedule(s) 3. Appear at deposition W017 4. Other You may contact: KENDALL A. LEE POST OFFICE BOX 661228 BIRMINGHAM, AL 35266 (205) 326-6600 YOU ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR to give testimony before the court or by deposition; and/or produce and permit inspection and copying of books, documents, or tangible things; and/or permit inspection of premises as stated below until otherwise excused. Failure to obey this subpoena may be deemed a contempt of court from which the subpoena was issued. **ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS** Any inspection or production of documents or records must be completed within 15 days 1/22/2019 9:00:00 AM DATE: ROOM: **Produce Documents Only** ADDRESS: Parsons Lee & Juliano See Civil Subpoena Attached No Appearance Required 600 Vestavia Parkway Suite 300 Birmingham, AL 35216 **DATE ISSUED: 1/7/2019** /s/ LISA MCSWAIN Signature of Court Clerk Deputy Clerk Initials U.S. Postal Service TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA. You are ordered to see CERTIFIED MAIL® RECEIPT OR ANY AUTHORIZED PERSON: court. Domestic Mail Only **RETURN ON S** j For delivery information, visit our website at www.usps.com?. I certify that I personally delivered a copy of this order 80000 TU Certified Mail Fee 7 ดก m Extra Services & Fees (chack box, add fee as appropriate) Return Receipt (hardcopy) Postmark ☐ Return Receipt (electronic) Certified Mail Restricted Delivery Here Adult Signature Required Adult Signature Restricted Delivery \$ 0680 Signature and Title of Server 7018 25-CV-2016-900001.00-W017 PS Form 3800, April 2015 PSN 7530-32-000-3047

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January 9, 2019

Hon. Sibley G. Reynolds 19<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit 134 N. Court Street Prattville, AL 36067

Hon. Bud Turner 7th Judicial Court 25th West 11th Street Anniston, AL 36201

Hon. Martha E. Williams 32<sup>nd</sup> Judicial Circuit 500 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue SW Cullman, AL 35505

Re: Marina Stewart-Magee, et al. v. Jeffrey Howard Whitlock, et al. (Williams)

In the Circuit Court of Cullman County, Alabama

Civil Action No.: CV-2016-900001

Walter Stoudemire v. Otis Tyus, et al. (Reynolds) In the Circuit Court of Autauga County, Alabama

Civil Action No.: CV 2017-900157

Patricia Ann Hancock v. Jermika Sheree Bradford (Turner)

In the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, Alabama;

Civil Action No.: CV-2017-900451

### Your Honors:

I currently have the above-captioned cases set for trial the week of **February 11, 2019.** 

The purpose of this correspondence is not to suggest that any case take priority over any other case, nor I am requesting any action by the Courts at this time.

The purpose of this letter is merely to advise the Courts and opposing counsel of the potential conflict in accordance with the administrative rules of Court.

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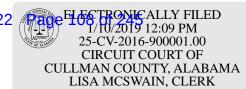
Yours truly,

David R. Wells

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cc: All counsel of record



### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, DECEASED, Plaintiff,	) ) ) ) CIVIL ACTION No. CV 2016-900001 )
Tumeni,	,
v.	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, ET AL.,	
Defendants.	

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO SERVE SUBPOENA ON NON-PARTY

Take notice that upon expiration of fifteen (15) days from the date of service of this notice the plaintiff, Marina Stewart-Magee, will apply to the Clerk of this Court for issuance of the attached subpoena directed to AT&T NATIONAL COMPLAINCE CENTER who is not a party and whose address is 11760 U.S. Highway One, Suite 600, North Palm Beach, FL 33408 to produce copies of the documents specified in the attached subpoena.

<u>s/Mark W. Lee</u> Mark W. Lee (LEE003)

OF COUNSEL:

PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, AL 35216 (205) 326-6600

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have on this <u>10<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>January</u>, 2019 electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of the Court using the Alafile system which will send notification of such filing to the following counsel of record:

Daniel S. Wolter Daniel Wolter Law Firm, LLC 402 Office Park Drive, Suite 100 Birmingham, AL 35223

David R. Wells, Esq. Whitaker, Mudd, Luke & Wells, LLC 2011 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue North Birmingham, Alabama 35203 dwells@wmslawfirm.com

> s/Mark W. Lee OF COUNSEL

## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, DECEASED, Plaintiff,  v.	CIVIL ACTION No. CV 2016-900001
DANIEL B. SNYDER, ET AL.,	
Defendant.	

## CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: Custodian of Records

AT&T NATIONAL COMPLAINCE CENTER 11760 U.S. Highway One Suite 600 North Palm Beach, FL 33408

You are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the plaintiff, Marina Stewart-Magee, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena, (no sooner than 15 days unless ordered by the Court).

That you produce and permit defendant to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

Any and all usage with cell tower information for the cellular phone number (205) 901-2363, for the time period of July 5, 2014 through July 7, 2014.

Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you.

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You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

You have the option to deliver or mail legible copies of documents or things to MARK W. LEE, PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C., P.O. BOX 661228, BIRMINGHAM, AL 35266-1228, but you may condition such activity on your part upon the payment in advance by Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C. of the reasonable costs of the making of such copies. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE SUBPOENA.

You have the right to object at any time prior to the date set forth in this subpoena for compliance. Should you choose to object, you should communicate such objection in writing to the party causing the issuance of this subpoena and stating, with respect to any item or category to which objection is made, your reasons for such objection.

In order to comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the party causing the issuance of this subpoena hereby provides satisfactory assurance to you that this party has made reasonable efforts to ensure that the individual who is the subject of the requested protected health information has been given written notice of this request, that such notice included sufficient information about the litigation to permit the individual to raise an objection, that the time allowed for the individual to object has now elapsed and that no such objection has been raised. See 45 CFR, Subpart E, § 164.512(e)(1), and see accompanying documentation.

Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure provides, in part, as follows:

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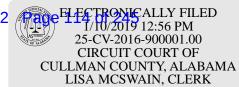
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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

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SNYDER DANIEL B.,		)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	OWARD,	)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	UNTER,	)	
Defendants.		)	

## **ORDER of CONTINUANCE**

The Court has received and reviewed the Motion To Continue filed herein on behalf of newly added Defendants, JEFFREY HOWARD WHITLOCK and JEFFREY HUNTER WHITLOCK, and the same is GRANTED for the reasons stated therein.

This matter is continued beyond its current 2/11/19 setting and shall be reset by the Clerk on the Court's next available Civil Jury Trial Docket thereafter.

DONE this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019.

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS CIRCUIT JUDGE

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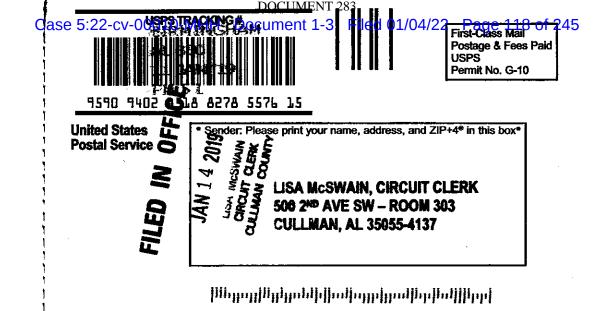
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ORDER TO APPEAR (SUBPOENA)

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA State of Alabama Municipality of MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENT (For Juvenile cases only): ☐ In the Matter of A. Issued at the request of: 1. ✓ Plaintiff/State 2. Defendant AT&T NATIONAL COMPLIANCE CENTER 3. Grand Jury B. Special Instructions 11760 U.S. HIGHWAY ONE You are ordered to: SUITE 600 1. Appear at trial NORTH PALM BEACH, FL 33408 2. Produce records or documents-See attached schedule(s) 3. Appear at deposition 4. Other You may contact: MARK W. LEE POST OFFICE BOX 661228 BIRMINGHAM, AL 35266 (205) 326-6600 YOU ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR to give testimony before the court or by deposition; and/or produce and permit inspection and copying of books, documents, or tangible things; and/or permit inspection of premises as stated below until otherwise excused. Failure to obey this subpoena may be deemed a contempt of court from which the subpoena was issued. **ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS** Any inspection or production of documents or records DATE: 02/12/2019 09:00 AM must be completed within 15 days ROOM: **Produce Documents Only** ADDRESS: Parsons. Lee & Juliano See Civil Subpoena Attached No Attendance Required 600 Vestavia Parkway Suite 300 Birmingham, AL 35216 **DATE ISSUED:** 1/28/2019 /s/ LISA MCSWAIN Signature of Court Clerk Deputy Clerk Initials TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA You are ordered to serve this order on the above named person and make return to this OR ANY AUTHORIZED PERSON: court. **RETURN ON SERVICE** I certify that I personally delivered a copy of this order (For Criminal cases only) Served By Mail Date Mailed Signature and Title of Server Sheriff Deputy Sheriff

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#### NOTICE

With respect to a subpoena which seeks only a production of documents or tangible things or an inspection of premises, as provided in Ala.R.Civ.P 45(a) (3) (C), the production of documents or tangible things or the inspection of premises pursuant to this subpoena shall take place where the documents or tangible things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by the recipient of this subpoena. As recipient of this subpoena, you have the option to deliver or mail legible copies of the documents or things to the party causing issuance of this subpoena, and the preparation of copies may be conditioned on the payment in advance of the reasonable cost of making such copies. Other parties involved in this lawsuit have the right to be present at the time of the production or inspection. The recipient of this subpoena has the right to object to the production or inspection at any time prior to the date of production or inspection set forth in this subpoena. See Ala. R.Civ.P. 45(c) (2) (B), which is set out below.

Rule 45, Ala. R.Civ.P., Paragraphs (c) & (d)

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  - (4) A person responding to a subpoena need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
  - (5) A person responding to a subpoena need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources the person identifies to the requesting party as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or to quash, the person from whom discovery is sought must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(B). The court may specify conditions regarding the production of the discovery.
  - (6) If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person or party making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. Any party or the producing person may promptly present the information to the court under seal for a determination of the claim. If the receiving party disclosed the information before being notified, it must take reasonable steps to retrieve it. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, WHO SUES AS ADMINISTRATOR AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, DECEASED, Plaintiff,  V.	CIVIL ACTION No. CV 2016-900001
DANIEL B. SNYDER, ET AL.,	
Defendant.	

## CIVIL SUBPOENA FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS UNDER RULE 45

TO: Custodian of Records
AT&T NATIONAL COMPLAINCE CENTER

11760 U.S. Highway One
Suite 600
North Palm Beach, FL 33408

You are hereby commanded to do each of the following acts at the instance of the plaintiff, Marina Stewart-Magee, within fifteen (15) days after service of this subpoena, (no sooner than 15 days unless ordered by the Court).

That you produce and permit defendant to inspect and copy each of the following documents:

Any and all usage with cell tower information for the cellular phone number (205) 901-2363, for the time period of July 5, 2014 through July 7, 2014.

Such production and inspection is to take place at the place where the documents or things are regularly kept or at some other reasonable place designated by you.

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You are further advised that other parties to the action in which this subpoena has been issued have the right to be present at the time of such production or inspection.

You have the option to deliver or mail legible copies of documents or things to MARK W. LEE, PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C., P.O. BOX 661228, BIRMINGHAM, AL 35266-1228, but you may condition such activity on your part upon the payment in advance by Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C. of the reasonable costs of the making of such copies. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE SUBPOENA.

You have the right to object at any time prior to the date set forth in this subpoena for compliance. Should you choose to object, you should communicate such objection in writing to the party causing the issuance of this subpoena and stating, with respect to any item or category to which objection is made, your reasons for such objection.

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s/Lisa McSwain

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SNYDER DANIEL B., WHITLOCK JEFFREY HOWARD, WHITLOCK JEFFREY HUNTER, Defendants.	) ) ) )	

#### **HIPAA ORDER IN CIVIL ACTION**

Upon compliance with Rule 45 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, the attorneys for the parties are permitted to inspect and copy all health information relating to the medical treatment and physical condition of Daniel B. Snyder following the incident made the basis of this lawsuit, including all information relating to the provision of health care to Daniel B. Snyder as a result of the subject incident. Subject to the provisions of Rule 26 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure pertaining to the scope and limits of discovery, the attorneys for the parties to this lawsuit may request an interview with any health care provider, health plan administrator, or other individual in connection with the aforementioned health information and payments therefore (such information collectively referred to hereafter as "Protected Health Information"). Such health care provider, health plan administrator, or other individual may grant or deny a request for an interview.

This Order authorizes any third party who is provided with a subpoena requesting the production of documents or commanding attendance at deposition or trial to disclose Protected Health Information in response to such request or subpoena. This Order is intended to authorize such disclosures under Section 164.512(e)(1) of the privacy regulations issued pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to relieve any party or attorney of the requirements of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure. Nothing in this Order permits disclosure of confidential communications, made for the purposes of diagnosis or treatment of a patient's mental or emotional condition, including alcohol or drug addiction, among the patient, the patient's psychotherapist, and persons who are participating in the diagnosis or treatment under the direction of the psychotherapist, including members of the patient's family, nor does this Order permit disclosure of records or information relating to HIV testing or sexually transmitted disease.

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Nothing in this Order shall be construed to authorize any party or any attorney for any party to release, exchange, submit or share any Protected Health Information with any other person or any other entity, other than an agent or employee of the attorney or party. The parties are prohibited from using or disclosing the protected health information for any purpose other than this litigation or proceeding for which such information was requested" pursuant to the requirements of 45 C.F.R. § 164.512(e)(1)(v)(A).

At the immediate conclusion of this action and at the written request of an individual whose Protected Health Information has been disclosed, or such individual's authorized representative, all recipients of the Protected Health Information shall return to the requesting party the documents and all copies thereof containing Protected Health Information received by them pursuant to this Order. If a written request is not made at the immediate conclusion of this action, all recipients of the Protected Health Information reserve the right to destroy such documents and any copies thereof containing Protected Health Information received by them pursuant to this Order. Such Protected Health Information received in an insurance claim file and law firm litigation file may be retained to allow compliance to the extent and for the period that such retention is required by Alabama insurance laws and the Alabama State Bar rules and regulations.

A photocopy of the Order shall be deemed as an original.

DONE this 19th day of October, 2018.

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS CIRCUIT JUDGE

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)		
as Administrator and Personal	)		
Representative of the ESTATE	)		
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)		
SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)		
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Defendants.	)		

# PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL DISCOVERY RESPONSES FROM DEFENDANTS JEFF AND HUNTER WHITLOCK

Comes now the Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, as Administrator and Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, deceased, pursuant to Rule 37 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, and respectfully requests this Honorable Court to enter an Order requiring Defendants Jeffery Hunter Whitlock ("Hunter Whitlock") and Jeffery Howard Whitlock ("Jeff Whitlock") to promptly respond to the Plaintiff's outstanding discovery requests. As grounds for said Motion, Plaintiff submits the following:

- 1. On November 21, 2018, Plaintiff filed Interrogatories and a Request for Production of Documents to Defendant Hunter Whitlock. (Docs. 248-49). The deadline to respond to Plaintiff's discovery requests was December 21, 2018.
- 2. Plaintiff filed a similar set of Interrogatories and Request for Production of Documents to Defendant Jeff Whitlock on <u>December 4, 2018</u>. (Doc. 252-53). The deadline to respond to Plaintiff's discovery requests was <u>January 3, 2019</u>.
  - 3. On January 3, 2019, Plaintiff's counsel sent an e-mail to counsel for Jeff and Hunter

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Whitlock (David Wells) requesting Hunter Whitlock's discovery responses. See Ex. 1, E-mail

from Kendall Lee to David Wells (Jan. 3, 2019). Mr. Wells responded to Plaintiff's counsel the

following day, and stated that he was "working on th[em]." Ex. 2, E-mail from David Wells to

Kendall Lee (Jan. 4, 2019).

4. On January 22, 2019, more than two weeks later, Plaintiff's counsel sent a second

e-mail to Mr. Wells, requesting that Jeff and Hunter Whitlock respond to the Plaintiff's outstanding

discovery. See Ex. 3, E-mail from Kendall Lee to David Wells (Jan. 22, 2019). Plaintiff's counsel

also asked Mr. Wells to send her the discovery responses by January 24, 2019 to avoid the

necessity of a motion to compel. Id. Mr. Wells did not respond to Plaintiff's counsel's e-mail, and

the Whitlock defendants still have not responded to the Plaintiff's discovery requests.

5. Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff respectfully requests this Honorable Court to enter

an Order compelling Defendants Jeff and Hunter Whitlock to promptly respond to the Plaintiff's

outstanding discovery requests.

Respectfully submitted this 28th day of January, 2019.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

MARK W. LEE (LEE003) KENDALL A. LEE (LEE091)

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# Exhibit 1

## Kendall A. Lee

From: Kendall A. Lee

Sent: Thursday, January 03, 2019 3:40 PM

To: 'David Wells'

Cc: Mark Lee; Dyan D. Wurm

Subject: Hunter Whitlock's Discovery Responses -

Marina Stewart-Magee (Albina Sharifullina)

v. Daniel Snyder (1602-254)

### Dear David:

We filed Interrogatories and a Request for Production of Documents to Hunter Whitlock on November 21, 2018. Thus far, there has been no response. Please respond to this outstanding discovery without the necessity of a motion. Thanks so much.

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# Exhibit 2

## Kendali A. Lee

From: David Wells <dwells@wmslawfirm.com>

Sent: Friday, January 04, 2019 5:02 PM

To: Kendall A. Lee

Cc: Mark Lee; Dyan D. Wurm

Subject: RE: Hunter Whitlock's Discovery Responses

- Marina Stewart-Magee (Albina

Sharifullina) v. Daniel Snyder (1602-254)

#### Kendall,

I am working on these as well as the depositions dates you guys requested. In light of the fact this case is set for Trial on February 11<sup>th</sup> do you have any opposition to me filing a Motion to Continue?

Thank you,

## David R. Wells

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# Exhibit 3

## Kendall A. Lee

From: Kendall A. Lee

Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 5:44 PM

To: 'David Wells'

Cc: Mark Lee; Dyan D. Wurm

Subject: Second Request for Discovery Responses -

Marina Stewart-Magee (Albina Sharifullina)

v. Daniel Snyder (1602-254)

#### David:

Hunter and Jeff Whitlock's discovery responses are both overdue. Hunter's responses were due on December 21<sup>st</sup> and Jeff's responses were due on January 4<sup>th</sup>.

Please send me the responses by Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>. I will be filing a motion to compel if I do not receive them by then. Thanks so much.

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
as Administrator and Personal	)	
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SHARIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
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v.	)	
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DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
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Defendants.	)	

### NOTICE OF SERVICE OF DISCOVERY DOCUMENTS

Comes now the Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, as Administrator and Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, deceased, and gives notice of serving the following discovery documents on all counsel of record in the above-captioned lawsuit:

- ☐ Plaintiff's Notice of Deposition of Defendant Jeff Whitlock; and
- ☐ Plaintiff's Notice of Deposition of Defendant Hunter Whitlock.

/s/ Mark W. Lee Mark W. Lee (LEE003) Kendall A. Lee (LEE091) Attorneys for Plaintiff

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# PLAINTIFF'S NOTICE OF DEPOSITION OF DEFENDANT JEFF WHITLOCK

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**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that, pursuant to Rule 30 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff Marina Stewart-Magee, by and through her attorneys, Mark W. Lee and Kendall A. Lee, will take the deposition upon oral examination of Defendant Jeffery Howard Whitlock ("Jeff Whitlock") for the purpose of discovery and/or for use as evidence in the above-captioned lawsuit.

**Deponent's Name:** Jeff Whitlock

**Date:** April 1, 2019

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.

**Location:** Parsons, Lee & Juliano, P.C.

600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, Alabama 35216

**Court Reporter:** Freedom Reporting

/s/ Mark W. Lee

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**Date:** April 1, 2019

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#### NOTICE

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Rule 45, Ala. R.Civ.P., Paragraphs (c) & (d)

- (c) Protection of person subject to subpoenas.
  - (1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty on appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.
  - (2) (A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, document or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.
    - (B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designed in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person who is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
  - (3) (A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
    - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
    - (ii) requires a resident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place more than one hundred (100) miles form the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, or requires a nonresident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place within this state more than one hundred (100) miles from the place of service or, where separate from the place of service, more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that, subject to the provision of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
    - (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
    - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.
    - (B) If a subpoena
      - (i) requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information, or
      - (ii) requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, or
      - (iii) requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expenses to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.
- (d) Duties in responding to subpoena.
  - (1) A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.
  - (2) When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.
  - (3) If a subpoena does not specify the form or forms for producing electronically stored information, a person responding to a subpoena must produce the information in a form or forms in which the person ordinarily maintains it or in a form or forms that are reasonably usable.
  - (4) A person responding to a subpoena need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
  - (5) A person responding to a subpoena need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources the person identifies to the requesting party as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or to quash, the person from whom discovery is sought must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(B). The court may specify conditions regarding the production of the discovery.
  - (6) If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person or party making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. Any party or the producing person may promptly present the information to the court under seal for a determination of the claim. If the receiving party disclosed the information before being notified, it must take reasonable steps to retrieve it. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.

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- (c) Protection of person subject to subpoenas.
  - (1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court from which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty on appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney fee.
  - (2) (A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, document or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.
    - (B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying at any time before the time specified for compliance may serve upon the party or attorney designed in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. "Serve" as used herein means mailing to the party or attorney. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person who is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expenses resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
  - (3) (A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it
    - (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;
    - (ii) requires a resident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place more than one hundred (100) miles form the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, or requires a nonresident of this state who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place within this state more than one hundred (100) miles from the place of service or, where separate from the place of service, more than one hundred (100) miles from the place where that person is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that, subject to the provision of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
    - (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
    - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.
    - (B) If a subpoena
      - (i) requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information, or
      - (ii) requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, or
      - (iii) requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expenses to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.
- (d) Duties in responding to subpoena.
  - (1) A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.
  - (2) When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.
  - (3) If a subpoena does not specify the form or forms for producing electronically stored information, a person responding to a subpoena must produce the information in a form or forms in which the person ordinarily maintains it or in a form or forms that are reasonably usable.
  - (4) A person responding to a subpoena need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
  - (5) A person responding to a subpoena need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources the person identifies to the requesting party as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or to quash, the person from whom discovery is sought must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(B). The court may specify conditions regarding the production of the discovery.
  - (6) If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person or party making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. Any party or the producing person may promptly present the information to the court under seal for a determination of the claim. If the receiving party disclosed the information before being notified, it must take reasonable steps to retrieve it. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.



# IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

ALBINA	AGDASOVNA	1	
SHARIFULLINA, DECE	ASED MARINA	<i>(</i> )	
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Plaintiff,		)	
		)	
V.		) Case No.:	CV-2016-900001.00
		)	
SNYDER DANIEL B.,		)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	OWARD,	)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	UNTER,	)	
Defendants.		)	

### **ORDER**

The Court has received and reviewed the Motion To Compel filed herein on behalf of Plaintiff. To the extent that Defendants JEFFREY HOWARD WHITLOCK and JEFFREY HUNTER WHITLOCK have not fully responded to all outstanding Discovery, they shall do so within 30 days of this Order.

**DONE this 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019.** 

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS **CIRCUIT JUDGE** 

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#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)
As Administrator and Personal	)
Representative of the ESTATE OF	)
ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARFIFULLINA, deceased,	)
	)
Plaintiff,	)
	)
v.	) Civil Action No.: CV 2016-900001
	)
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.	)
	)
Defendant.	)

## **MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

COME NOW the Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock, and pursuant to Rule 56 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, move this Honorable Court to enter an Order granting summary judgment in their favor and dismiss all claims asserted against these Defendants (Count One-Negligence and Wantonness), on the ground that the Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint substituting Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock for fictitious plaintiffs is barred by the statute of limitations. This motion is based upon the following:

- 1. The **Complaint** of the plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, attached hereto as Exhibit "A";
- 2. The **First Amended Complaint** of the plaintiff, **Marina Stewart-Magee**, attached hereto as Exhibit "**B**";
- 3. The sworn **deposition testimony** of the Defendant, **Daniel Snyder**, a copy of which are attached hereto as Exhibit "C"
- 4. The sworn **deposition testimony** of the Defendant, **Jeffrey Howard Whitlock**, a copy of which are attached hereto as Exhibit "**D**":
- 5. The sworn **deposition testimony** of Defendant, **Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock**, a copy of which are attached hereto as Exhibit "**E.**"

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WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock move this Honorable Court to enter an Order granting Summary Judgment in their favor and to make same final pursuant to Rule 54(b) of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, as there is no just reason for delay.

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Defendant.	)

## <u>DEFENDANTS MEMORANDUM BRIEF IN SUPPORT</u> <u>OF MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT</u>

COME NOW, the Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock (hereinafter "the Whitlocks"), by and through its undersigned counsel and file this memorandum brief in support of their Motion for Summary Judgment and pursuant to Rule 56 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, move this Honorable Court to enter an Order granting judgment as a matter of law in their favor and dismissing the claims against them, with prejudice.

#### **INTRODUCTION**

This case arises from a Sea Doo collision on Smith Lake that occurred on or about July 5, 2014. The Plaintiff filed her Complaint on January 5, 2016. In the Complaint, the Plaintiff alleged causes of action for negligence and wantonness action against Defendant Daniel Snyder as well as various fictitiously named Defendants.

Since the Plaintiff filed her Complaint, numerous depositions have been taken including the depositions of Daniel Snyder, Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock, and Jeffrey Howard Whitlock. Despite the Whitlocks' depositions being taken prior to the statute of limitations expiring, the Plaintiff's Case 5:22-cv-00010-MHH Document 1-3 Filed 01/04/22 Page 153 of 245

Complaint adding the Whitlocks as party Defendants was not filed until July 12, 2018, after the two-year statute of limitations had expired.

### NARRATIVE STATEMENT OF UNDISPUTED FACTS

Daniel Snyder was deposed by the Plaintiff's attorney at that time, Stephen D. Heninger, on June 14, 2016. (See Deposition of Daniel Snyder). During Snyder's deposition he identified both Jeff and Hunter Whitlock and testified that he had been at their home the evening of July 5, 2014. (See Deposition of Daniel Snyder, pages 31-39). In fact, during the deposition Mr. Heninger repeatedly referred to the statements both Jeff and Hunter Whitlock gave law enforcement personnel during their investigation of the Sea Doo collision (See Deposition of Daniel Snyder, pages 37-39). Subsequently, Mr. Heninger deposed Jeff and Hunter Whitlock on August 1, 2017. (See Depositions of Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock).

### STANDARD OF REVIEW

Summary judgment is proper where the pleadings, depositions, answers to interrogatories and admissions on file, together with the affidavits, if any, show first, that there is no genuine issue as to any material fact and second, that the moving party is entitled to judgment as a matter of law. See Ala. R. Civ. P. 56(c)(3); Accord King v. Winn-Dixie of Montgomery, Inc., 565 So. 2d 12, 13 (Ala. 1990). Initially, the moving party bears the burden of demonstrating the two prongs of this standard. See Maharry v. City of Gadsden, 587 So. 2d 966, 968 (Ala. 1991). Once this showing is made, however, the burden shifts to the non-moving party to rebut the showing. See Id., at 968. In order to rebut the moving party's showing, the non-moving party must present substantial evidence in support of each element of his or her claims that creates a genuine issue of material fact. See McAfee v. Shredders, Inc., 650 So. 2d 871, 872 (Ala. 1994). Substantial evidence is "evidence of Case 5:22-cv-00010-MHH Document 1-3 Filed 01/04/22 Page 154 of 245

such weight and quality that fair-minded persons in the exercise of impartial judgment can reasonably infer the existence of the fact sought to be proved." See West v. Founders Life Assurance Co., 547 So. 2d 870, 871 (Ala. 1989). Mere speculation and conclusory allegations are not sufficient to create a genuine issue of material fact for trial. See Riggs v. Bell, 564 So. 2d 882 (Ala. 1990). "If the burden of proof at trial is on the nonmovant, the movant may satisfy Rule 56 burden of production either by submitting affirmative evidence that negates an essential element in the nonmovant's claim, or assuming discovery has been completed, by demonstrating to the trial court that the nonmovant's evidence is insufficient to establish an essential element of the nonmovant's clam . . . . " Carraway v. Kurtis, 987 So. 2d 512, 515 (Ala. 2007).

### **ARGUMENT**

I. Plaintiff's Amended Complaint substituting Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock for fictitiously named defendants does not relate back and is barred by the statute of limitations because the Plaintiff did not act with due diligence in discovering the Whitlocks' identity.

The Plaintiff's Amended Complaint was filed on July 12, 2018, more than two years after the accident giving rise to the Plaintiff's claims. The Plaintiff's Amended Complaint alleges causes of action against the Whitlocks for negligence, wantonness and recklessness. Plaintiff's claims against the Whitlocks is governed by a two-year statute of limitations. §6-2-38(1) ALA CODE 1975; Booker v. United American Ins. Co., 700 So. 2d 1333, 1340 (Ala. 1997).

Because the Plaintiff added Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock as Defendants more than two years after the accident giving rise to the Plaintiff's claims, the Plaintiff can only avoid the statute of limitations bar only if she complied with the relation back rule provided in Rule 15(c)(4) of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure. That Rule states that an amended complaint relates back to the date of the original complaint when "relation back is

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permitted by principles applicable to fictitious party practice pursuant to Rule 9(h)."

In turn, Rule 9(h) provides:

When a party is ignorant of the name of an opposing party and so alleges in the party's pleading, the opposing party may be designated by any name, and when that party's true name is discovered, the process and all pleadings and proceedings in the action may be amended by substituting the true name.

Thus, Rule 9(h) and Rule 15(c) allow a plaintiff to avoid the bar of a statute of limitations by fictitiously naming defendants for which actual parties can later be substituted. Ex parte Chemical Lime of Alabama, Inc., 916 So. 2d 594, 597 (Ala. 2005).

However, to take advantage of Rule 9(h), a plaintiff must use due diligence in determining the true identity of the fictitiously named defendant. Fulmer v. Clark Equipment Co., 654 So. 2d 45, 46 (Ala. 1995). "The correct standard for determining whether a party exercised due diligence in attempting to ascertain the identity of the factiously named defendant 'is whether the plaintiff knew, or should have known, or was on notice, that the substituted defendants were in fact the parties described fictitiously." Ex parte Nationwide Ins. Co., 991 So. 2d 1287 (Ala. 2008). "It is incumbent upon the plaintiff to exercise due diligence both before and after the filing of the complaint. Only if the plaintiff has acted with due diligence in discovering the true identity of a fictitiously named defendant will an amendment substituting such a party relate back to the filing of the original complaint." Ex parte Nicholson Manufacturing Ltd., 182 So. 3d 510, 514 (Ala. 2015)(emphasis in original).

Additionally, the Alabama Supreme Court has established that in order to avoid the bar of a statute of limitations when a plaintiff amends a complaint to identify a fictitiously named defendant, the plaintiff

(1) must state a cause of action against the party named fictitiously in the body of the original complaint and (2) must be ignorant of the identity of the fictitiously Case 5:22-cv-00010-MHH Document 1-3 Filed 01/04/22 Page 156 of 245

named party, in the sense of having no knowledge at the time of the filing that the later-named party was in fact the party intended to be sued.

Crawford v. Sundback, 678 So.2d 1057, 1059 (Ala. 1996).

Moreover, for a plaintiff to be deemed ignorant of the identity of a fictitiously named defendant, the plaintiff must have exercised due diligence to identify the party intended to be sued:

A plaintiff is ignorant of the identity of a fictitiously named defendant when, after exercising due diligence to ascertain the identity of the party intended to be sued, he lacks knowledge at the time of the filing of the complaint of facts indicating to him that the substituted party was the party intended to be sued. Likewise, to invoke the relation-back principle of Rule 15(c), a plaintiff, after filing suit, must proceed in a reasonably diligent manner to determine the true identity of a fictitiously named defendant and to amend his complaint accordingly.

Ex parte FMC Corp., 599 So.2d 592, 593–94 (Ala. 1992).

In Ex parte Integra LifeSciences Corp., the Alabama Supreme Court granted mandamus relief where the plaintiff failed to name a substitution for a fictitiously named defendant within the statute of limitations period even though its identity was discoverable by reasonable diligence. Ex parte Integra LifeSciences Corp., (In re Brooks v. Outlaw, MD, et al.), No. 1170692, 2018 WL 4090569, at \*1 (Ala. August 24, 2018). In that case, Tawni Brooks underwent double mastectomy and breast reconstruction surgery at Springhill Memorial Hospital in Mobile. Id. Brooks experienced complications from the surgery that were later revealed to potentially be related to surgical mesh implanted in her body. *Id*.

In March 2016, Brooks requested a copy of her medical records from Springhill and stated on the form that the reason she was requesting her medical records was to determine "what kind of mesh" had been used in her procedure. Id. In March 2016, Brooks sued the doctor who performed the surgery and various fictitiously named defendants. Id. In January 2017, Brooks amended her complaint to substitute two surgical mesh manufacturers for the fictitiously named

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defendants. Id. Those defendants informed Ms. Brooks that her medical records indicated that the mesh used in Ms. Brooks' surgery had been manufactured by a company that had been acquired by Integra LifeSciences Corporation ("Integra") in 2015 and by Atrium Medical Corporation ("Atrium"). Id. In March 2017, Brooks filed her second amended complaint substituting Integra and Atrium for the fictitiously named defendants Id.

Integra moved for summary judgment on the grounds that Brooks' claims were barred by the applicable statute of limitations and that the second amended complaint did not relate back to the original complaint because, Brooks had been provided documents that specifically identified SurgiMend, an Integra product, as the mesh used in her procedure. Id. at \*2. In finding that Brooks' claim against Integra was barred, the Alabama Supreme Court reasoned if Brooks had made a reasonable inquiry into what kind of mesh was used in her surgery, it would have resulted in the discovery of Integra's identity. Id. at \*4. The Court provided a specific example of how such an inquiry would have resulted in discovering the identity of Integra. Id. In its example, the Court stated that at all relevant times, information about SurgiMend, including SurgiMend's manufacturer, could be found on SurgiMend's website as well as Integra's website. Id. The Alabama Supreme Court found that because the plaintiff in the Integra case did not make a reasonable inquiry as to what SurgiMend was, the plaintiff had not acted with due diligence in discovering the identity of Integra. Id. at \*5.

Additionally, in May 2014, two separate accidents occurred on a bridge near Mobile when a vehicle struck a "buffer vehicle" behind an American Sweeping, Inc. street sweeper. Ex parte American Sweeping, Inc. (In re: Ala. Dept. of Transportation v. T&S Trucking, LLC), No. 1170461 27 ALW 36-6, at \*5 (Bald. Cty. Cir. Ct. August 31, 2018). The second accident happened when

a tractor trailer driven by William McRae and owned by T&S Trucking, LLC collided with a truck operated by Robert Sanders. Id. Both trucks exploded, killing McRae, injuring Sanders, and damaging the bridge. Id. In August 2015, ALDOT filed a complaint against T&S and the estate of McRae, seeking to recover the costs of repairs to the bridge required by the explosion. *Id.* 

In December 2015 and April 2016, Sanders and his wife filed complaints in intervention against the same defendants. Id. at \*7. Neither complaint included fictitious defendants. Id. In May 2016, the Sanderses amended their complaint to add fictitiously named defendants. *Id.* In August 2017, the Sanderses amended their complaints again to substitute ASI for a fictitiously named defendant. Id. ASI then motioned the Court to dismiss the claims against them on the ground that they were barred by the applicable statute of limitations. *Id.* The trial court denied the motion, ASI petitioned for a writ of mandamus, and the Alabama Supreme Court issued the writ of mandamus. Id.

The test applied by the Alabama Supreme Court in determining whether the plaintiff had exercised due diligence in that case was whether the plaintiff knew, should have known, or was on notice that the substituted defendants were in fact the parties described fictitiously. *Id.* The Court found that the plaintiffs had made little to no effort to determine the identity of ASI. Id. The Court presented three examples of how the plaintiffs had made little to no effort. Id. First, the accident report listed ASI as the owner of the buffer vehicle that was struck. Id. Second, ASI's identity could have easily been discovered from ALDOT. Id. Third, a witness from the accident testified in his deposition that a week after the accident he telephoned the Sanderses and they all talked about the accident that caused the Sanders' accident. Id. The Alabama Supreme Court reasoned that because the plaintiffs made little to no effort in determining the identity of the AIS, they failed

to exercise due diligence. *Id*. And because the plaintiffs had not exercised due diligence, the substitution of the fictitious defendant did not relate back to the original complaint. *Id*. Thus, the substitution of AIS for the fictitiously named defendant was barred by the statute of limitations. *Id*.

In this case, the Plaintiff had actual knowledge of the identity of Jeff and Hunter Whitlock no later than June 14, 2016 when Daniel Snyder was deposed. In Snyder's deposition, the Plaintiff's attorney questioned Snyder about statements the Whitlocks had given to investigators following the accident made the basis of the Plaintiff's Complaint (See Deposition of Daniel Snyder, pages 37-39). Additionally Snyder identified both Jeff and Hunter Whitlock and testified that he had been at their home the evening of July 5, 2014. (See Deposition of Daniel Snyder, pages 31-39). Subsequently, Mr. Heninger deposed Jeff and Hunter Whitlock on August 1, 2017. (See Depositions of Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock).

The undisputed evidence has shown that the Plaintiff, and her attorneys, not only knew the identity of Jeff and Hunter Whitlock but also knew of any alleged involvement the Whitlocks had in this matter by June 14, 2016 at the absolute latest. Despite having that information, the Plaintiff waited more than two years after Snyder's deposition to file an Amended Complaint on July 12, 2018 adding the Whitlocks as Defendants in this case, which was also more than two years after the statute of limitations expired. Therefore, the undisputed evidence is clear that the Plaintiff did not exercise due diligence and the claims against Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock do not relate back to the filing of the Plaintiff's Complaint in this case.

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### **CONCLUSION**

Based upon the undisputed evidence in this case, Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock are entitled to judgment as a matter of law on all counts of the Plaintiff's Amended Complaint and pray that that this Honorable Court enters an Order dismissing the Plaintiff's claims against them, with prejudice, with costs taxed as paid.

> /s/ David R. Wells DAVID R. WELLS (WEL016) Attorney for the Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock

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# **EXHIBIT A**

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# IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who sues as Administrator and	)
Personal Representative of the Estate	)
of ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)
SHARIFULLINA, Deceased,	, )
	)
Plaintiff,	)
VS.	) CIVIL ACTION:
DANIEL B. SNYDER; Defendant No.	)
1, being that person who was operating	)
the Sea Doo described in the Complaint	)
at the time set forth in the Complaint;	)
Defendants No. 2 & 3, being that	)
person or entity which caused or	)
contributed to cause the incident	)
described in the Complaint; Defendants	)
No. 4 & 5, being that person or entity	)
which provided alcoholic beverages to	)
the named Defendant in the hours	)
preceding the incident described in the	)
Complaint; All of whose true and	)
correct names are otherwise unknown	)
to Plaintiff at this time but will be	)
added by amendment when properly	)
ascertained.	)
	)
Defendants.	)

# **COMPLAINT**

- 1. Plaintiff, Marina Stewart-Magee is the duly appointed Administrator and Personal Representative of the Estate of Albina Agdasovna Sharifullina, deceased.
- 2. On or about, July 5, 2014, the Plaintiff's decedent was a passenger on a Sea Doo watercraft owned and operated by Defendant, Daniel B. Snyder. Plaintiff's decedent

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had been the invited guest of Defendant to come to Smith Lake and visited the house of Defendant's friend on that lake that evening. Defendant had been drinking alcoholic beverages and had a blood alcohol level of 0.152 immediately after the incident made the basis of this suit and was greatly in excess of the level of legal intoxication.

- 3. Defendant had visited the lake house of one of his friends, Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock, where he stayed from 6:30 p.m. until after 10:00 p.m. When the Defendant was about to leave on his Sea Doo with Plaintiff's decedent, Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock (along with others) told Defendant that it was dangerous and illegal to ride his Sea Doo at night under the dark conditions at Smith Lake. Whitlock offered to drive Defendant and Plaintiff's decedent to Defendant's cabin cruiser boat he kept at another location to sleep for the night. Defendant declined that offer and advice and told Whitlock "It's not very far and I have lights I can put on my Sea Doo." Defendant then left on the Sea Doo into the dark night on that lake in an intoxicated and impaired condition with Plaintiff's decedent as his passenger.
- 4. At some point near midnight, the Defendant's Sea Doo was seen by John Barnes by its lights travelling in an erratic fashion at a high rate of speed. It then came to an abrupt stop with a loud noise as it struck a dock in the slew. Defendant was found slumped over a stabilizing cable for the dock. The body of the Plaintiff's decedent was not found until sometime later. Plaintiff's decedent died on July 6, 2014, from the injuries suffered in this collision of Defendant's Sea Doo with the dock.
- Plaintiff avers that Defendant, Snyder, was negligent in the operation of the 5. Sea Doo in an intoxicated, impaired condition on a dark night on Smith Lake when

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visibility would be difficult for even a completely sober operator. Defendant was

negligent in operating her Sea Doo in this situation and at erratic and high speed under an

impaired condition and in severe darkness. Defendant's negligence placed the life of

plaintiff's decedent in risk and that risk became reality when the Sea Doo struck the dock

as described above. As a proximate consequence of Defendant, Snyder's negligence, the

Plaintiff's decedent was so injured that she died on July 6, 2014.

6. Plaintiff further avers that at the same time and place set forth above,

Defendant Synder was guilty of wanton misconduct which proximately caused the death

of Plaintiff's decedent. Defendant consciously and callously declined offers to be driven

to his boat with the Plaintiff's decedent and despite good advice to the contrary decided

to operate his Sea Doo in an intoxicated and impaired condition on an extremely dark

night and at erratic movements and high speed while Plaintiff's decedent was his

passenger. Such conduct was willful and conscious even though impaired by alcohol and

poor judgment under all of these attendant circumstances as set forth above. As a

proximate consequence thereof, Plaintiff's decedent was so injured that she died on July

6, 2014.

Wherefore, Plaintiff demands judgment against Defendants, separately and

severally, in such sums as a jury may assess after a full and fair consideration of the facts.

Stephen D. Heninger (HEN007)

/s/ Stephen D. Heninger

STEPHEN D. HENINGER (HEN007)

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Plaintiff demands trial by struck jury on all issues raised herein.

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## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
as Administrator and Personal	)	
Representative of the ESTATE	)	CIVIL ACTION NO.
OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	CV-2016-900001
SHARFIFULLINA, deceased,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	JURY DEMAND
	)	<b>REQUESTED</b>
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

#### FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT

Comes now the Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, as Administrator and Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARFIFULLINA, deceased, pursuant to this Honorable Court's Order entered on December 27, 2017 (Doc. 103), and hereby amends her original Complaint (Doc. 2) to substitute and add Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock for Fictitious Defendants "2" through "5" as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff adopts and re-alleges all allegations, claims, and demands in her original Complaint (Doc. 2) as if fully set forth herein.
- 2. Defendant Jeffrey Howard Whitlock is an individual over the age of 19 years and a resident of Shelby County, Alabama.
- 3. Defendant Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock is an individual over the age of 19 years and a resident of Jefferson County, Alabama.

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- Venue is proper in Cullman County, Alabama pursuant to Ala. Code § 6-3-4. 2 (1975) because the accident made the basis of this lawsuit occurred in Cullman County, Alabama.
- Jurisdiction is proper in the Circuit Court of Cullman County, Alabama 5. pursuant to Ala. Code § 12-11-30 (1975) because the matter in controversy exceeds ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), exclusive of interest and costs. See Ala. Code § 12-11-30(1) (1975).
- 6. On or about July 5, 2014, Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock hosted a social dinner gathering at their private lake home located at 680 County Road Highway 218, Bremen, Alabama 35033.
- Defendant Daniel B. Snyder and the Plaintiff's decedent, Albina Agdasovna 7. Sharfifullina, attended the aforementioned dinner gathering hosted by the Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock.
- 8. Upon information and belief, Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock provided and/or allowed to be provided alcoholic beverages to Defendant Daniel B. Snyder during the social dinner gathering, and Daniel B. Snyder became intoxicated while attending said dinner gathering.
- At approximately 10:00 p.m. on July 5, 2014, Defendant Daniel B. Snyder, 9. while intoxicated, left the aforementioned dinner gathering on a SeaDoo personal watercraft (hereinafter "SeaDoo"), and with the Plaintiff's decedent as his passenger, drove said SeaDoo into the dark and ultimately collided it into a dock nearby. As a result of the collision, the Plaintiff's decedent suffered fatal injuries and died.
- Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock knew or 10. should have known that it was unsafe and illegal for Daniel B. Snyder to operate his

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SeaDoo in the dark and while under the influence of alcohol.

Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock knew or 11.

should have known that it was unsafe for the Plaintiff's decedent to travel as a passenger

on a SeaDoo being driven by Daniel B. Snyder under the conditions described in

paragraph 10.

Upon information and belief, Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and 12.

Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock told Daniel B. Snyder that it was "dangerous and illegal" to

operate a SeaDoo at night, and offered to take Daniel B. Snyder to his cabin cruiser boat

at Ryan Creek Marina, where Daniel B. Snyder and the Plaintiff's decedent could stay for

the night.

Upon information and belief, Defendant Daniel B. Snyder initially accepted 13.

a ride from the Defendants to Ryan Creek Marina, but subsequently changed his mind.

Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock, through 14.

their own actions, voluntarily assumed and undertook a duty to protect the Plaintiff's

decedent from the negligent, reckless, and wanton conduct of Daniel B. Snyder and to

warn the Plaintiff's decedent of the risks associated with traveling on a SeaDoo with

Daniel B. Snyder in the dark.

Defendants Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock 15.

negligently, recklessly, and wantonly breached their duty of care to the Plaintiff's

decedent by:

(a) failing to warn the Plaintiff's decedent of the risks associated with

riding a SeaDoo in the dark;

(b) failing to provide and/or secure an alternative and safer means of

transportation for the Plaintiff's decedent;

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(c) failing to take sufficient and reasonable steps to prevent Daniel B. Snyder from operating his SeaDoo in the dark and while under the influence of alcohol, despite their actual or constructive

knowledge that serious injury and/or death would likely or

probably result; and

(d) failing to take sufficient and reasonable steps to prevent the

Plaintiff's decedent from riding as a passenger on the aforementioned SeaDoo under the conditions described in subsection (c), despite their actual or constructive knowledge that

serious injury and/or death would likely or probably result.

As a direct and proximate result of the Defendants' negligent, reckless, and 16.

wanton conduct, Plaintiff's decedent, Albina Agdasovna Sharfifullina, suffered fatal

injuries and died.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiff demands judgment

against the Defendants, Daniel B. Snyder, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock, and Jeffrey Hunter

Whitlock, in an amount deemed appropriate by a jury which will adequately reflect the

enormity of the Defendants' wrongful conduct, in the form of punitive damages, plus

interest and costs of this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018.

/s/ Mark W. Lee

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### **JURY DEMAND**

Plaintiff demands a trial by struck jury on all issues raised herein.

/s/ Mark W. Lee OF COUNSEL

# **SERVE VIA CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Jeffrey Howard Whitlock 2250 Beaver Creek Road Columbiana, Alabama 35051

Mr. Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock 4113 Clover Leaf Drive Birmingham, Alabama 35243

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have on this <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> day of July, <u>2018</u>, electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of the Court using the AlaFile electronic filing system which will effect service of such filing on the following:

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/s/ Mark W. Lee OF COUNSEL

# **EXHIBIT C**

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19	between the parties through their	19				
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21	DANIEL B. SNYDER	21				
22	may be taken before Karen Hinch, Licensed	22				
23	Court Reporter and Notary Public, State at	23	****			
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i	of June, 2016, commencing at approximately	4	Mr	. Heninger	5	
5	10:09 a.m.	5				
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l l	that the signature to and reading of the	8		MA	R	
1	deposition by the witness is waived, the	9		intiff's Exhibit		
10	deposition to have the same force and	10	1	Photo - lake	15	
11	effect as if full compliance had been had	11	2	Photo - Daniel and Alya	. 16	
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16	that it shall not be necessary for any	16	7	Photo - Sea-Doo	29	
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18	questions, except as to form or leading	18		Photo - light	30	
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20	may make objections and assign grounds at	20	11	Photo	46	
21	the time of the trial, or at the time said	21	12	Photo - dock	47	
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2	16 Photo - dock	50		civil case.
3	17 Diagram	51	3	
4	18 Facebook post	59	4	EXAMINATION BY MR. HENINGER:
5	19 Facebook post	59	1	Q Daniel, give me your full name
6	20 Texts	60	6	•
7	21 Texts	61	7	
8	22 Texts	61	8	Q How old are you?
9	23 Witness diagram	72	9	A I am 41.
10	25 William and Francisco	1 200	10	Q What is your residence address?
11			11	•
12			12	11 202 : 211d 111 on do 1101thi, Offic 1001,
13			13	
14			14	A I am not.
15			15	Q Have you ever been married?
16			16	•
17			17	
18			18	A I am self-employed of counsel
19			19	with Gaines, LLC.
20			20	Q As an attorney?
21				A Yes.
22			22	Q How long have you been licensed?
23			1	A I have been I was licensed in
		Page 6	1	Page 8
1	I, Karen Hinch, a Co	•	1	Alabama in 2010.
2	Birmingham, Alabama, a	-	1	Q Were you licensed elsewhere
1	the State of Alabama at L	•	1	previously?
	Commissioner, certify the	•	4	A Yes. I had a kind of convoluted
	pursuant to Rule 30 of the		5	educational background. I was licensed
1	Civil Procedure and the f			in I went to an unaccredited school,
7	stipulation of counsel, the		7	passed the bar exam in California and in
8	on the 14th day of June, 2		8	Wisconsin. Alabama wouldn't recognize it.
1	offices of Heninger, Garr			Ended up going back to the University of
1	1st Avenue North, Birmin		1	Alabama to law school so that I could sit
		•	11	for the Alabama bar exam and didn't really
1	10:09 a.m., Daniel B. Sny	•		practice until I went back to law school at
13	above cause, for oral example above cause, for oral example and the same and the sa			Alabama. I know that's kind of confusing.
14	the following proceedings	*	14	Q That's all right. So what years
15	DANIEL B. SNY		15	were you at the University of Alabama?
16	being first duly sworn, wa	•	1	A I was at University of Alabama
17	testified as follows:		17	2007 through 2009.
18	MR. WOLTER:	Just so we're all	18	Q And then you sat for the Alabama
19	in agreement that this dep		19	bar and passed it in 2010?
1	taken under seal pursuant	<del>-</del>	ŀ	A Right, after my clerkship.
120			1	8
1	-	ullman County and	21	O And then you were employed at
21	entered by the judge in C	•	1	
21 22	-	be used or	22	Q And then you were employed at Burr & Forman for a while? A Yes, sir.

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1	Q How long were you at Burr &	1	That was the name that
2	Forman?	2	Q Of course, her harne was much
3	Ti Troni 2010 diffi die Olid Ol 2015.	3	longer. It was
	I guess I should say from September 2010.	4	A Alabina or something like that.
1	Q You know why we're here?	5	Q Diminumina,
6	11 100, 511.	6	S-h-a-r-i-f-u-l-i-m-i-n-a, Albina,
1	Q And you will not be surprised to	7	11-1-0-1-11-a.
8	learn that the family has many questions,	8	A I never heard her use that full
9	and we're going to go through this. I know	9	name.
	it may be difficult for both of us, but we	10	Q And is Yadi, Y-a-d-i?
1	will get through it the best we can. All	11	A I honestly don't know how to
i i	right?	12	-F
13	11 100, 511.	1	I'm not sure.
14		14	Q Where did you know her from?
16	prepare yourself for today's deposition?	15	A That's a good question. I'm not
17	110,511	16	sure where we first met. Probably from a
	Q Do you leef like you have a good	1	young professional's event, something like
19	recollection of what happened?  A I have a recollection of certain	19	that. I can't remember where we first met.
1			Q Well, the Kentucky Derby is
	parts. We can go through that.  Q Now, were you and Alya friends?	21	usually run in May, isn't it? Does that sound right?
	Q Now, were you and Alya friends? A Yes.	22	A Yes, I think so.
1	Q How long had you been friends?	1	Q How many people were at your
-	Page 10		Page 12
1	A We met the weekend of the	1	condo that day for the derby?
1	Kentucky Derby that same year.	1	A Well, the fundraiser was actually
3	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		not at my condo. The fundraiser was at
4		1	Innisfree. And then the number of people
5	Q Where did you meet her?		and for that there were, gosh, probably a
6	•		hundred, two hundred people.
7	to my condo with a friend.	1	Q How many people ended up at your
8	Q On 2nd Avenue?	8	condo afterwards?
9	A Yes. I had been I was in the	9	A There were probably five or six.
10	middle of a campaign raising money for kids	10	All that I can remember right now is four,
11	with leukemia in memory of my brother who	11	but it seems like there was some others that
12	died of leukemia. And she has a friend	12	I can't remember.
13	named Yadi. Adya has a friend named Yadi	13	Q Did you and Alya ever date
14	who was at a fundraiser that I was doing,	14	formally?
15	and a data bosine of the people who helped	15	A No. We went on one double date
1	with the fundraiser, I invited back to my	16	mainly just because I had a friend whose
	condo after the fundraiser. And Yadi asked	17	girlfriend was Russian and I thought it
1	if she could bring a friend and I said sure,	18	would be cool if they met. And so we went
19	and that friend was Alya. And that's how I	19	on a double date to a baseball game, me and
20	met Alya.	20	Alya and my friend, Eric, and his
21	Q Now, Alya is A-l-y-a, I believe,		girlfriend. And, you know, it was more like
22	isn't it?	22	a friend date, like, nothing like a real
23	A Yes. That's what I knew her by.	23	date, I guess.

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<sup>1</sup> Q Were the two of you romantically	1	his family has a lake house there and
<sup>2</sup> involved?	2	that was on Friday, he had a big lake
<sup>3</sup> A No.	3	party and cookout at that lake house and I
4 Q At no time?	4	invited of course, I was there with a lot
<sup>5</sup> A No.	5	of friends, and I invited Alya to come join
<sup>6</sup> Q What's the girl's name that Eric	6	us if she wanted to. And she drove up after
<sup>7</sup> was with at that Barron's game?	7	I was already there and joined us at that
<sup>8</sup> A He called her "Alex." I think	8	location.
<sup>9</sup> she had a long Russian name also that I	9	Q Is Robert Thuston Lee's son?
<sup>10</sup> don't know. She doesn't live in Birmingham.	10	A His nephew.
<sup>11</sup> She lives somewhere else.	11	Q What's the private lake that is
<sup>12</sup> Q Now, this incident happened over	12	shown in that photograph?
the 4th of July weekend, didn't it?	13	A I don't know the name of it, but
14 A Correct.	14	it's in the Trussville area.
<sup>15</sup> Q And I've seen text messages.		Q Did you have your Sea-Doo that
<sup>16</sup> Have you also seen text messages between you	16	day?
<sup>17</sup> and Alya?	17	A I did not.
<sup>18</sup> A I have not. I was I lost my	18	Q Did you have your boat that day?
<sup>19</sup> phone.	19	A I did not.
<sup>20</sup> Q In this incident?	20	Q How did you get to that location?
<sup>21</sup> A In the accident, yes. I think	21	A By car.
<sup>22</sup> maybe the police have it, but I don't know	22	Q And how did Alya get there?
<sup>23</sup> for sure.	23	A By separate car.
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<sup>1</sup> Q Have you made any attempt to find	1	Q Did she spend the night with you
<sup>2</sup> out or recover it?	1	that night?
<sup>3</sup> A I have not.	3	A No, she did not.
<sup>4</sup> Q Have you seen the official report	4	Q And that was on Friday, which
<sup>5</sup> that the State of Alabama did on this		would have been July the 4th?
6 incident?	6	A I think so, yes.
<sup>7</sup> A No, sir.		Q Then let me show you what I'm
<sup>8</sup> Q And you haven't seen any of the	1	marking as Exhibit 2, which appears to be a
9 text messages or Facebook postings	9	photograph of you and Alya.
10 A No, sir.	10	(Plaintiff's Exhibit
11 Q from yourself or from Alya?	11	Number 2 was marked
12 A From myself? Not in recent	12	for identification.)
13 years. I'm sure I saw them if I posted	13	Do you pronounce it Alya or Alia?
them, I saw them, you know, back when I		A I always pronounced it Alya.
posted them.	Į.	That's the way her friends that I knew
Let me show you what I'm going to		pronounced it. I don't know if that's
mark as Exhibit 1. Can you tell me what		proper.
this photograph shows?	1	Q That says it's dated June 22nd.
(Plaintiff's Exhibit		Does that look familiar to you?
Number 1 was marked		A Yes. That yes.
for identification.)		Q Is that you?
22 A Sure. That is a small private	22	i i
<sup>23</sup> lake that my friend, Robert Thuston, has	23	Q And is that Alya?

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1	A Yes.		at this lake party on the day before to come
- 1	Q Is that on your boat?		out to Smith Lake if they wanted to the next
3	A Yes.	3	day. And I invited Alya was one of the
4	Q And that boat is called the		people I invited. She was the only one who
5	Valhalla?	5	
6	A Yes.	6	you know, too exhausted I guess or hung over
7	Q Where was that taken, if you	4	or whatever. And she was the only one who
8	know?	8	
9	A That was taken on Smith Lake.	9	
10	Q Do you think the date of that is	10	
11	probably as shown?	11	Q At El Barrio?
12	A Probably.	12	A No. In front of City Federal
13	Q Now, further into the weekend of	13	just on the street.
14	July 4th in 2014, you told us that you and	14	_
	she were at a party at Robert Thuston's	15	~
	house at the lake in Trussville.	16	•
17	A Yes.	17	
18	Q Did you go back to Birmingham	18	
19	that evening?	19	before?
20	_	20	A I assume so. I went to bed, like
21		21	
22	A She drove separately, but we	22	•
	ended up at the same place.	23	intoxicated the night before?
	Page 18	<del>                                     </del>	Page 20
1	Q Where was that?	1	A I don't know.
2	A That was the rooftop balcony of	2	Q Were you?
3	the penthouse in the City Federal Building.	3	A I was not.
4	Q Is your condominium in the City	4	Q Then on that Saturday, July 5th,
5	Federal Building?	5	did you drive together to Smith Lake?
6	A Yes.	6	A Yes.
7	Q Did she spend the night there?	7	Q In whose car?
8	A She did not. She did not.	8	A Her car.
9	Q Then what happened on the next	9	Q What kind of car was that?
10	day, July 5th? Walk me through that as best	10	A A Jetta.
11	you can.	11	Q And you left Birmingham somewhere
12	A So that morning well, the	12	after noon?
13	night before we'd been up on the rooftop	13	A Sometime around noon. I don't
14	watching fireworks. I decided I wanted to	14	remember the exact time.
F .	go to bed. I was worn out. It wasn't just	15	Q Then did you go directly to Smith
16	us. There were other people up there	16	Lake?
17		17	A As far as I know, yes. Sometimes
18	partying and so she so she stayed up	18	I would make a stop at Wal-Mart or, you
I	there, and I went to bed. I got up the next		know, a gas station or something on the way
20	morning. Of course, I had gone to bed	1	to pick up something, but I don't remember
21	earlier than most of my friends had so I was	21	stopping that day.
	ready to go to the lake. I started texting	22	Q Where did you go at Smith Lake?
1	people. And I had invited everyone who was	İ	A We went to the marina where I
L	* *	L	

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1	kept my boat and Sea-Doo.	1	A	Correct.
1	Q Is that Ryan's Creek?	2		What about during the winter?
	A That's what it was called then.	3	-	During the winter I would usually
	Q What's it called now?	4		but and take it to my dad's farm.
1	A I don't know. It got bought out	5	_	Where is that?
1	later. I can't remember what the new name	6	-	In the Huntsville area.
	is.	7		What's the size of that boat?
8		8	-	
9	•	9		Twenty-eight and a half feet.  Does it sleep six?
10		10		Yes.
1	So I would call ahead, and they would put it	11		How long have you owned it?
1	in the water for me and have it waiting in		~	I've owned it since 2013.
1	the water when I got there.	13		Alone?
1	Q Let me show you what I'm marking	1	~	Yes.
	as Exhibit 3 and ask you if this is a	15		
	photograph of your boat in the slip at	1		Have you ever moored it at a lake an Smith Lake?
	Ryan's Marina or Ryan's Creek, the white	17		Since the accident?
	one.	18		No, before.
19			-	Before, no.
20	•	i		But since accident you have?
21	for identification.)	21	-	Yes.
22	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			Where is it now?
	from the back end, but I think that's it.	23	`	It's at Lake Martin now.
-	Page 22		<i>I</i> 1	Page 24
1		1	Q	Why there?
2	is the back end.		-	Because the marinas are so much
3	(Plaintiff's Exhibit		nicer.	because the marmas are so mach
4	`			Did you and Alya have anything to
5	for identification.)			the car on the way up to Smith
6	,		Lake?	and our on the way up to simin
1	Q Is that your boat that's marked			No.
i	the Valhalla?			Did you have something to drink
9	A Yes.		that day	·
10	Q Did you name it that?		•	Yes.
11	1			By drink, I mean alcohol.
12	-	12	-	Yes.
13	i			What did you drink during the
14	•		day?	did jou dillik during mo
15	correct?		•	I drank at the well, I drank
16				niels Honey and Gray Goose vodka.
17		17		Did you mix them with something?
18			_	Yes. The Jack Daniels Honey I
19	· ·			nixed with Coke. That's what I
20				would mix it with. The vodka I
21			-	sually the vodka I might not have.
22	-			I might have just done a shot. I
				member for sure.
23	O SO IL WASH I III GEV SIGEAGE?			

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1	Q Dia i inju nave unjumig to urink	1	changed. I honestly don't remember.
2	during the day on Saturday?	2	Q Did you have anything to drink at
3	A Yes.	3	the boat?
4	Q What was she drinking?	4	A No.
5	A She was drinking the same. This	5	Q Then did you have them drop your
6	<del>-</del>	6	Sea-Doo in the water for you?
7		7	A Yes.
8	all, but she was definitely drinking those	8	Q Does the name Billy Kosper, III
9	things.	9	mean anything to you?
10	Q So who mixed the drinks when the	10	A I don't recognize that name.
11		11	١
12	A I don't remember. I think she	i	Creek that put the Sea-Doo in the water for
13	was when we were at the pool party, she	13	you around 2:00 in the afternoon.
	was kind of acting like the bartender a		A Okay.
1	little bit trying to get people to try	15	Q You think that sounds about
			_
	these she's a liquor salesman so these were alcohols that she's she's a promoter	1	right?  A That's probably about right. I
18	*	18	A That's probably about right. I don't remember him that name
19	for and so she was kind of promoting them I	19	
20	guess a little bit. But I don't remember if	20	specifically. Oh, wait. I knew him as
21	I mixed my own or if she mixed mine.		Trey. That's why. I just didn't know his
22	Q Were they miniatures?	21	name was Billy.
l	A No. These were bottles. She had		Q He had a coworker named Travis.
23	a cushion case in her trunk that was made	23	Do you remember Travis?
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	for carrying big bottles of liquor, and so	1	A I remember Travis.
3	she had a she just kept these things in		Q Let me show you Exhibit 6. Is
4	her trunk.		that a photograph of your Sea-Doo after this
5	Q Because you said her job was to	5	incident?
6	promote those liquors, among others?	6	(Plaintiff's Exhibit
7	A Yes.		Number 6 was marked
	Q You mentioned a pool party.	7	for identification.)
1	Where was the pool party?		A I don't know when this photo was
9	A It was at a house I'd never been		taken, but that does look like my Sea-Doo.
1	to before. It was like a friend of a		Q Let me show you Exhibit 7. Maybe
ı	friend, and I'm not even sure I could get		having the license on the bow gives you some
1	back there now. We went by water, and I'd		help in identifying it.
	never been there before. I can't remember	13	(Plaintiff's Exhibit
l	the name of the family that owned it.	14	Number 7 was marked
15	Q Was it Whitlock?	15	for identification.)
16	A No. It's not the Whitlocks.		A I never saw the Sea-Doo after the
17	This was friends of the Whitlocks.	17	accident, but that's the right coloring for
18	Q So when you got to Smith Lake,	18	my Sea-Doo.
19	you drove to your boat, correct?	19	Q Same way with 8, that's the other
20	A Correct.	20	side with the license. It's the right
21	Q Did you change at the boat?	21	coloring and appears to be your Sea-Doo?
22	A I can't remember if we were	22	(Plaintiff's Exhibit
23	already dressed for the lake or if we	23	Number 8 was marked
	arready arespect for the lake of it we		

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	ioi identification.)		out at night at Smith Lake?
	A Yes.		A Not often, but if I was somewhere
1	Q Did that Sea-Doo have headlights		else and it got dark, then I might come home
	4 on it?		by Sea-Doo after dark.
5	11 140.	1	Q Did you go to Smith Lake a good
6	Q Did it have any fights:	6	on odok in 2011.
	A It did have a suction cup light	7	11 I madif t been a for because of
8	that I would put on there at hight.		the fundraiser I was involved with so my
9	Q Did you keep that in like a		summer was starting a little bit late
10	Combote.		because of other responsibilities, but I
11	11 105.	1	would go there as often as I could get away.
12	2 Det me show you what I'm marking	1	Q So what time do you think you
13	as Emmore y and ask you if this is what	1	left the marina on your Sea-Doo that
14	Journ talking about, the light that had t	1	Saturday?
1	suction cup on it that you would keep in the	15	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i
16	console.	16	sus protos quient so it procuoty was around
17	(I Idilitili S L'Allioit		2:00 if that's what time he put it in the
18	ramoer o was marked		water.
19	for identification.)	1	2mere and you go.
20	A No, sir. That's the second	i	o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o o
21	light. That's the white all around light.		and they were not home when we first got
	The other light was a red and green light.	1	there.
23	Q Let me show you Exhibit 10. Is	23	
1	Page 30	,	Page 32
2	this the one you're talking about?		where you put in the Sea-Doo and got to the
3	(Plaintiff's Exhibit	į.	Whitlocks' house?
4	Number 10 was marked		A Probably five minutes or less.
5	for identification.)		It's really close. By land it's walking
6	A Yes.	6	distance.
7	Q Now, that wouldn't illuminate		Q Had you done that trip by water
	anything for your path of direction at night, would it?	8	before?
9		9	A Yes, many times.
10	A No. It's well, I mean, maybe a little, but it's mainly so other beats can		Q So you went to the Whitlocks' and
		1	they were not home?  A Correct.
12	<b>y</b>	12	
13	shows.	13	Q Then what did you do? A There's a house that everyone on
14	A That's a white all around light.	14	Smith Lake knows as the castle that's on a
15	Q What would you do with that?		
	A That's just facing up so that,		very prominent point. It's very close to
	again, other boats can see you.		their house. You can probably even see it
18	- ·	18	from their house. So I took Alya over to
	path?		show her the castle, and we just kind of
20	-		I was kind of showing her this close to their house when so we went to see the
	the state requires to be out at night, as		i de la companya de
	far as I know.		castle. We went over this little cove kind of across from the Whitlocks' house kind of
23	i i		
	2 Did you offer take the Sea-Doo		in that same general area still. And I

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1	can't remember whether the Whitlocks texted	1	Q When was that?
2	and or control in or in a just but, them pure	2	That was after we got said from
3	up, but I saw them pull up by boat to their		the pool party. We went we went back to
4	house and so we went over to say "hi."		her she wanted to get some liquor from
5	Q ridd you plainted on going to the	5	her car to give to the the Whitlocks had
6	Whitlocks'?	6	invited us for dinner, and she wanted to go
7	11 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	7	back to the marina to get some liquor to
1	had texted them, either Hollis or Hunter or	8	share with the Whitlocks at dinner. And so
	both, and let them know I was on my way up		we went back to the marina from the
	to the lake. They were kind of like lake	1	Whitlocks' and on the way we picked up
1	family. It was usual for me to see them	1	the liquor. She also decided at that point
ı	when I was at the lake.		in time that she wanted to jump off the
į.	Q And how long did you stay at the	E	bridge that was next to the marina. I told
	Whitlocks' at that time?	1	her I was not doing that. I would video
l	A Not very long.	1	her. I don't know where her phone ended up,
E	Q Had you had anything to drink by	16	but there should be a video of that on her
1	that point?	1	phone. So I videoed her jumping off the
18	11		bridge. She got she got more bottles of
19	2		liquor from her car and then she drove on
	A No.	20	the way back.
	Q So what time of day are we	21	20 0000 11 000000 1
	talking about, do you think?  A This has only been a few minutes,	1	A Yeah.
	A This has only been a few minutes,  Page 34	23	Q That's just a short distance you Page 36
1	maybe like, I don't know, 20 minutes, 15	1	said, right?
	minutes after 2:00.		A Yeah. It's not super long.
	Q Then where did you go from there?	1	Maybe, I don't know, it's hard to measure on
	A So then Hollis, which is the	!	water, but a mile or two.
	Whitlocks' one of their daughters, she	f .	Q Did you have dinner at the
	was going over to this pool party and her	ł	Whitlocks'?
7	boyfriend and her brother, Hunter, were	7	A Yes.
	already there. And I asked if we could tag	8	Q So how long were you at the
	along or she invited me to tag along. I	9	Whitlocks' that day?
10	can't remember which. So Alya she was on	10	A Well, are we counting time around
11	their Jet Ski, and I followed her on mine to	11	the water with them or just at their house?
12	this pool party.	12	Q At the house.
13		13	A In the house probably we went
	at that time?	14	wakeboarding. We got back from wakeboarding
15	,	15	it was probably, I don't know, maybe 7:30,
16	` '		8:00. So maybe from 7:30, 8:00, until we
17	i		left.
18	` '		Q What time do you think you ate
	operate it?		dinner?
20	i		A Probably 8:30, 9:00.
21	`	21	, ,
22			alcoholic drink?
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1	drinks at the pool party earlier. My first	1	don't I'm not disputing it. I just don't
2	drink at the Whitlocks' house was probably	2	remember it.
3	around 8:30 or 9:00.	3	Q He says that you told him it's
4	Q When did Alya have her first	4	not very far and I have lights and I can put
5	drink?	5	on put them on my Sea-Doo, and that as
6	A Probably around that same time,	6	you left he could see the green light turned
7	but I wasn't keeping tabs.	7	on. You don't remember that, right?
8	Q Have you read the statement that	8	A Correct.
9	Jeffrey Whitlock gave to the authorities?	9	Q But you have no reason to think
10	A I don't think so.	10	he's mistaken?
11	Q Who is Jeffrey Whitlock?	11	A I have no reason.
12	A He's the father. He's the one	12	Q He also said that Alya remembered
13	that owns the house.	13	she didn't have her cell phone and went back
14	Q Well, there's a father and a son		up to the house to get it to get on the
15	with the same name.		Sea-Doo with you when you left the
16	A I know the son as "Hunter," so I		Whitlocks'. Do you remember that?
17		17	
18	the way I knew their names.	18	Q Who was driving when you left the
19	Q Hunter has said that you and Alya	19	Whitlocks'?
20	were at the Whitlock house on that Saturday,	20	A I don't remember leaving the
1	July 5th, from around 6:30 p.m. until	21	Whitlocks', so I can't say.
	10:00 p.m.		Q So you don't have a specific
23	-	23	memory of you driving the Jet Ski when you
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1	were wakeboarding.	1	left the Whitlocks'?
2	Q Right. But do you recall you	2	A No.
3	left there around 10:00 that night?	3	Q In all likelihood, were you the
4	A I don't remember leaving,	4	one driving?
5	honestly.	5	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.
6	Q Were you intoxicated when you	6	A I don't have any way to guess.
7	left the Whitlocks' house?	7	Q Well, would you let Alya drive at
8	A I don't remember leaving so I	8	night when she had just driven that Sea-Doo
9	don't know. I don't remember being		that afternoon?
10	intoxicated at all that day.	10	A Yes.
11	Q Do you remember Alya being	11	Q You would have?
12	impaired or intoxicated?	12	A I would have, yes.
13	A No.	13	Q So I don't know any way to ask it
14	Q Well, Hunter says that at 10:00,	14	other than this way: Do you think there's a
15	that he told you that it was dangerous and		possibility that Alya was driving when the
16	illegal to ride a Sea-Doo at night, and he	16	incident happened?
17	offered to drive you back to Ryan's Creek	17	A Yes.
18	Marina and that you agreed. And then went	18	Q Do you think it's a possibility
l	down to the dock where the Sea-Doo was and	19	that you were driving when this incident
20	changed your mind, decided you were going to	1	happened?
•	take the Sea-Doo. Do you remember any of	21	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.
22	that?	22	A Based on the physical evidence I
23	A If he says it, you know, I	23	know, no.
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1	Q Why not?	1	A I did see that in the records.	
2	A My injuries, I had no frontal	2	Q Do you know that's above the	
3	injuries. All of my injuries were side and	3	legal limit?	
4	back. And I also always rode with the kill	4	A I do know that.	
5	switch attached to me, and I was told	5	Q Have you seen Alya's blood	
6	afterwards that the kill switch was found in	6	•	
7	the Sea-Doo, the Sea-Doo still running in	7	A I have not.	
8	circles. So those are the main reasons that	8	Q It was .058. No one had told you	
9	I don't see how I possibly could have been	9	•	
10	driving.	10	A No.	
11	Q Well, if you had let Alya drive,	11	Q Was anyone smoking marijuana at	
12	wouldn't you have insisted that she attach	1	the Whitlocks' or anywhere else that day?	
13	•	13	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
14	A I would have told her to.	14	Q Did you have any marijuana?	
15		15		
16		16	Q Did Alya?	
17	_	17	A I didn't see her if she did.	
18	<del>-</del>	18		
19	^	19	A No, that I have a memory of.	
20	Q Earlier that afternoon when she	20	Q Was your memory pretty good up	
21		1	until leaving the Whitlocks'?	
22	•	22	A It's good up until dinner.	
23		23	Q Which is at 8:30?	
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1	Q Do you know if she had ever	1	A Which was like somewhere around	
2	driven a Sea-Doo before or any Jet Ski?	2	there. But that's where it's solid or	
3	A She had been on Sea-Doos before,	3	pretty solid.	
4	which I took to mean that she had driven	4	Q Well, do you think it's not good	
5	them. I specifically asked her about that.	5	from that point forward because of alcohol	
6	But I have no I don't know any details.	6	or injuries or what?	
7	Q Do you think she told you that	7	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.	
8	she had driven a Jet Ski or something like	8	A I don't know. I know I had a	
9	that before?	9	concussion. I had my side of my face my	
10	A She told me she had been on Jet	1	ear was ripped off. I had plastic surgery	
11	Skis before, which maybe I misinterpreted,	11	twice. See?	
12	but I took that to mean she had been the	12	Q I've seen it. I've also seen	
13	driver.	13	some photographs. Who took the photographs	
14	Q Had she ever been on your Jet Ski	14	of you right after the hospital?	
15	with you before that Saturday?		A The police did.	
16	A No. The previous time we had had	16	Q Where did they take those	
17	a bigger group and we took the boat out, not	17	photographs?	
18	the Jet Ski.	18	A My parents' house.	
19	Q Do you know what your blood	19	Q With your consent?	
20	alcohol was that night? Has anyone shown	20	A I don't remember. I was pretty	
	you your records?	21	drugged up at the time. I don't remember if	
22	A I have seen the hospital records.		I consented or if they had a subpoena. I	
23	Q It was .152. You remember that?	23	just don't remember how that happened.	

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	How long were you in the hospital	1	occasion?		
1	<sup>2</sup> at Huntsville Hospital?		A No.		
	11 I don't know exactly. I just		Q So you don't know if that's on		
	per waking up in the hospital. I don't	4	4 the way to Ryan's Creek from the Whitlocks'?		
<sup>5</sup> know.		5	<sup>5</sup> A Well, I know that it's I know		
6 Q	Do you remember your dad being	6	<sup>6</sup> from my general knowledge of the lake and		
<sup>7</sup> there?		7	<sup>7</sup> what I have learned after the fact that it's		
8 A	I do remember my dad at a certain	8	not, but showing me this picture in the		
<sup>9</sup> point.		9	abstract, I wouldn't be able to tell you		
10 Q	Have you been back on the lake	10	where this was on the lake.		
11 since th	is happened at Smith Lake?	11	Q But you know now that would not		
i	Just one time.	12	be located where you would be expected to be		
13 Q	Did you go to look at the scene?		traveling from the Whitlocks' back to your		
-	Yes.	1	boat		
15 Q	Who were you with?	15	A Correct.		
-	I was with Tommy Spina.	16	Q at Ryan's Creek?		
	On your boat?	17	A Yes.		
,	No. I don't know whose boat it	18	Q Which is where you were headed		
1	was not mine.	19	that night; is that right?		
20 Q	Let me show you what we've marked	1	A Again, I don't have a memory of		
1	•		leaving, but I would I mean, that would		
1			be a guess.		
E .	Plaintiff's Exhibit	23	<u> </u>		
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1 N	Number 11 was marked	1	dock. Have you seen it since this incident?		
2 f	or identification.)	2	(Plaintiff's Exhibit		
	can't tell from this picture.	3	Number 13 was marked		
	Can you tell if that picture	4	for identification.)		
	omewhere you would pass by going from	5	A Yes.		
	clocks' house to the marina where	6	Q When you went out there with		
	it was kept at Ryan's Creek?	7	•		
1	don't remember. It's been a	8	A Yes.		
<sup>9</sup> couple o	f years since I've been there, maybe	9	Q Number 14 shows the area where,		
1	ear and a half. I just don't	10	and I'm going to circle it, where the		
	here looks familiar to me right now.	11	Sea-Doo hit. Has anyone identified that for		
•	Exhibit 12 is a photograph of the	12	you?		
	t your Jet Ski struck that night.	13	(Plaintiff's Exhibit		
	t look familiar to you?	14	Number 14 was marked		
	Plaintiff's Exhibit	15	for identification.)		
	Jumber 12 was marked	16	A No. You're the first one.		
	or identification.)		Q Did you ever pay any damage to		
	Only from seeing it in pictures		the owner for that?		
	n Tommy when I went out there that	ļ	A No.		
20 one time	•		Q Has anyone asked you to?		
	Vell, do you remember ever seeing		A No.		
	while you were out on Smith Lake		Q Let me ask you if this		
	Sea-Doo or in your boat on any		photograph, Number 15, shows an area that		
on your t	50a 500 of in your boat off arry		photograph, indiffice 13, shows an area that		

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1	you're familiar with. It seems to have a	1	A No.
2	pretty prominent house with flags flying, a	2	Q Or striking the dock that night?
3	protty points 2008 that Burney you with any	3	A No.
4	recollection about having ever seen it while	4	Q Do you remember the paramedics
5	you were out on simin Bake.	5	talking to you?
6	(1 lament 3 LAmor	6	A No.
7	rumber 15 was marked	7	Q Or the flight by helicopter to
8	ioi idolitilioation.)	8	Huntsville Hospital?
9	11 110t that I Icoan.	9	A No.
10	Q I HOM IT YOU TOOK UT EMMORE	10	Q Has anyone told you that the
1	Number 11, it shows the prominent point	11	parametrics abited you if any one case was on
1	and to in Eximon runnour 15, and then over	12	in the second se
	to its right is the dock that your Jet Ski	1	several people"?
ı	hit. Does that look familiar to you at all	14	MR. WOLTER: I object to the form
15	from any time you've been on billion bake.	ı	to the extent
16	11 I don't roodin. 140.	16	Just make sure that you can
17	2 Eet me show you Eximete 10. Cum	17	terr manne transe y ear return e early color are really
	you tell me if you recall the dock that your	18	
	Jet Ski hit, when you were out there with	1	A I know that I had a friend
L .	Toming Spina and Saw II, II and was the way	20	contact me after the accident and said the
22	it looked?	1	police called him and that I had told the
23	(Plaintiff's Exhibit		police that I or paramedics, somebody,
25	Number 16 was marked	23	that he was on the Jet Ski with me. And
1	Page 50	,	Page 52
2	for identification.)	2	they woke him up in bed in Birmingham. And
3	A I don't remember this stuff being	3	he was someone who was helping me with the fundraiser.
1	stacked on the left. I can't say for sure.  I don't remember that stuff being stacked	4	
	there.		
6	Q Have you ever talked to the owner	1	A His name is Joseph Newman, I think is his last name. But I didn't know I
1	of that dock?	1	had mentioned other people. But he's the
8	A I have not.		one I knew that had he had told me that I
9	Q No contact whatsoever?		had told the paramedics he was with me or
10	A No.		the cops or someone.
11	Q Exhibit 17 is a diagram that the	11	Q Daniel, Smith Lake at night gets
12	Department of Conservation and Natural	12	very dark, doesn't it?
1	Resources did in its official investigation,	13	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.
1	and it shows what they believe was the path	14	A It can.
15	of the Jet Ski. Have you seen the diagram	1	Q Why would you be on your Jet Ski
16	before?	16	after 10:00 at night with no lights?
17	(Plaintiff's Exhibit	17	A In general or this specific time?
18	Number 17 was marked	18	Q In general. And let me clarify,
19	for identification.)		no lights for illumination.
20	A It looks vaguely familiar, maybe.	1	A I would the night the lake
21	I'm not sure if I've seen it or not.		at night was beautiful and peaceful, it
22	Q Do you have any recollection of	l .	could be. And I had been out there, and
23	that path?	ı	because there were no city lights, the way
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1	the stars and moon would shine on the water	1	Q And do you think it's likely that
2	it I assume that's why the state doesn't	2	when you left the Whitlocks' you were
3	require illumination lights on boats at		intending to go back to your boat?
4	night because the stars and moon provide	4	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.
5	quite a bit of reflection off the glassy	5	5
6	surface of the water because the water is a	6	made it back, I would say yes; but the fact
7	lot like glass at night. And I had several	7	that we were out there two hours, you know,
	times before traveled at night.		I don't know.
9		9	Q And if you were headed back to
10	marina at Ryan's Creek to the Whitlocks' at	10	your boat at Ryan's Creek from the Whitlocks'
	night?	1	that night, you'd have no reason to be in
12	•	1	_ •
13	•	13	occurred, would you?
	I had been going back at night.		A No.
15		15	Q And you don't know how you got
	A I think so, yeah. If I was		there?
	traveling at night, it was usually because I	17	A No.
	had been somewhere and it got dark and I was	18	
1	just going home.	19	Q Or why you were there? A I do not.
20	· - •	20	
l	Q But you think you've done that before?	21	Q What's the top-end speed for that
22			Sea Doo:
23	i i iiiii so.		A It's over 60.
23	Q And it's just a few minutes to Page 54	23	`
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i i	get from the Whitlocks' to your boat at		A Yes.
	Ryan's Creek Marina?  A Yes.		Q You think you've ever had it that
	1		speed before at night?
4	Q Have you been told that this		A Oh, no, never.
5	incident happened after midnight?		Q Why not?
	A I have been told that.	6	A Because I'm when I travel at
	Q If you left the Whitlocks' at		night I recognize the lower visibility and
	10:00, how can you account for those two		travel slow. You know, usually there's not
	hours?		a rush. There's no reason. And I probably
10			wouldn't go it probably wouldn't even go
11	` '	11	that fast with two people on it.
12	3		Q How fast do you think you've had
	l l	13	it with two people on it?
14	Q You don't have a clue?	14	A I'm not sure. Maybe 45, 50.
15	A I don't know. I have tried to	15	Q Did it have a speedometer?
16	make sense of it, and I don't know what was	16	A I think so. It's been a while
17	happening.	17	since I looked at it, but I'm pretty sure
18			yeah, it had a speedometer. Yes. The
19			police have it.
20		20	
21		21	
			something with it.
23		23	<del>-</del>
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1	Page 57 remember after this incident?	1	Page 59
2		2	(1 Idilitili 5 LAHIDI
3		3	Number 19 was marked
1	waiting up and not knowing whole I was of now	4	ioi identification.)
5	I got there, what had happened. And my dad	5	11 That's probably fight.
6	was more and no told me that I a been		Q Dut this shows Affa and Tail as
7	orought in by noncopion, that I a mit a	6	friends and also looks to have a photograph
′	pier or dock or something. And I just	7	or you at the top. Is that you.
°	remember feeling like just completely lost.	8	A That is me.
9	i didii t kilow — i codidii t make sense of it	9	Q What is the sash you're wearing?
10	because I remembered sitting down to dinner	10	A That was the fundraiser that I
11	and then waking up in the hospital. And my	11	told you about. I was the Leukemia and
12	dad told me they were prepping me for	i i	Lymphoma Society does a fundraiser called
13	surgery, and I said, "Why do I need	1	Man and Woman of the Year for over a
14	surgery?" And he said, "Your ear got ripped	1	ten-week campaign to raise as much money as
15	off." And I reached up and felt the side of	15	you can for leukemia and lymphoma research.
16	my face, and they had this plastic cup thing	16	And I was running in memory of my brother,
17	covering the side of my head to protect what	17	and I won Man of the Year, and that's
18	was left of my ear.	18	what selle of these people had been holping
19	Q Did he tell you at that time that	19	me with. And that was the sash they gave me
20	Alya was dead?	1	when I won. They gave me like a plaque or
21	A I don't remember. At some the	ł .	something. But anyway, my brother, David,
22	days and hours, like it's kind of blurry,	1	died of leukemia so I was doing that in
23	but I know at some point I asked about Alya	23	memory of him. So this all happened right
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1	and they told me. I was afraid she was	1	after that campaign ended. So that was the
2	still in the water somewhere. And they told	i	Man of the Year sash.
3	me that she had died already, and I just	3	Q Are you confident you didn't meet
4	I couldn't even wrap my mind around it.		Alya at El Barrio that Saturday instead of
5	Q Is Aaron your brother?	1	at your condo? The reason I ask, there's a
6	A He is.	ı	text. I'll go ahead and mark this as
7	Q Do you remember making a post	l	Exhibit 20.
8	after you found out that Alya had died?	8	(Plaintiff's Exhibit
9	A Yes. I remember probably about a	9	Number 20 was marked
10	week of so after the decident.	10	for identification.)
11	Q Let me show you what I'm marking	11	A I don't remember meeting her at
i	as Exhibit 18. See if this looks like a	12	El Barrio. So that's on 2nd Avenue so that
1	post that you made on Facebook.		may have been the point of reference I gave
14	(Plaintiff's Exhibit		her. I just don't remember. Maybe we
15	Number 18 was marked		decided to eat something before we went out
16	for identification.)		of town. I just don't remember it.
17	A Yes. That was like the first	17	Q See if any of that looks
18	maybe the only post I made.		familiar.
19	Q Exhibit 19 is another post, and		A Yeah. I really don't remember
	it shows some of your friends. And you		that, but maybe I was eating at I eat
	mentioned a name earlier, Yadi, and I think		brunch there sometimes on Saturdays. They
	it's Yari, Y-a-r-i. Does that sound like		have a really good breakfast burrito that I
23	1t?	23	like. Maybe I was there eating brunch when

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	we met.	1	with		
2	wen, let me show you what I m	2	MIK. WOLTEK. Object to the form.		
3	bomb to bo anoda and mark as 21 and 22,	3	Q as well, call t you:		
4	which gives it context. See if this helps	4	MR. WOLTER: Same objection.		
5	you. It also dates it as starting on	5	Q If that's what happened?		
6	Saturday at 10.32 a.m.	6	A If I was if I was in a		
7	(1 Idilitii 5 Exilloit	7	condition where I could make that decision.		
8	realited 21 and 22 were marked	8	I just don't remember.		
9	ioi identification.	9	Q Do you think you could have been		
10	The green is not of the I ill a	10	so intoxicated you couldn't make a good		
11	nttic confuscu.	11	decision?		
12	Q DOOKS TIKE IL.	12	A I don't know. I have no memory		
13	11 11115 address is fifty address for	13	of what happened, how she ended up driving,		
14	enty i ederal.	14	how we even ended up on the Sea-Doo at all.		
15	Q Right. Then 23 seems to be the	15	I've spent most of the last year and a half,		
16	end of that chain of texts where she tells	16	almost two years now, trying to piece that		
17	you she's already in a swimsuit with a white	17	together.		
18	dress over it and you say you're in a	18	Q Have you talked to Hunter		
19	swimsuit too.	19	Whitlock about what happened that night?		
20	A Yeah. I didn't remember.	20	A I haven't talked to him.		
21	Q I was trying to see if that helps	21	Q So he hasn't told you what he		
22	you remember anything.	22	remembers about telling you that he would		
23	A That's consistent with what I	23	drive you and Alya back to your boat?		
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	remember, that we didn't spend much time at	1	A He has not told me anything.		
2	the marina when we got there. I didn't	2	Q You haven't talked to his father?		
3	remember us changing clothes or anything so	3	A I have not talked to his father.		
4	that makes sense. I didn't remember being	4	Well, I take that back. I talked to his		
5	at El Barrio eating, but maybe I was in	5	father one time where someone was there		
6	there eating a burrito before we left. I do	6	saying that they knew me, and he wanted to		
7	remember us taking her car.	7	confirm with me that it was somebody that I		
8	Q Daniel, who owned the Sea-Doo	8	really knew. And that was the extent of the		
9	that you had that July 5th night?	9	conversation.		
10	A I did.	10	Q Have you seen the statement of		
11	Q You can see how it would be I'm	11	the guy named Jack Horner that was outside		
12	just going to say careless to go out on	12	on his property that night around midnight,		
13	Smith Lake after 10:00 at night after	13	said he heard the Sea-Doo and he watched it		
14	drinking without illumination of your path	14	and it was traveling at a high rate of speed		
15	and being in an area you're unfamiliar with,	15	and it hit the dock?		
16	if that's what happened, can't you?	16	A I remember something from him. I		
17	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.	17	remember him saying I remember a		
18	A I can see how that would be a	18	statement from him.		
19	problem.	19	Q Have you ever spoken with him?		
20	Q And you can see how it would be	20	A I have not.		
21	careless if you as the owner let Alya drive	21	Q So you don't know if what he is		
	the Jet Ski in the dark without illumination	22	saying is accurate or not?		
23	and being in an area you were unfamiliar	23	7		

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	Q You have no memory?	1	I was. I was there, available. And I had
2	A I don't.	2	called her and told her that previously, and
3	Q Have you made any effort to reach	3	so I kind of left the ball in her court
4	out to the family of Alya?	4	because I didn't want to be I didn't know
5	A I did.	1	what her state of mind was, I guess.
6	Q What did you do?	6	
7	•	7	from the Whitlocks' house to Ryan's Creek,
8			where your boat was moored, on her own at
9	,	1	night?
10	mixed up so I don't know exactly what day	10	<u> </u>
	this was in relation to when the funeral		was on the Sea-Doo by herself.
1	was, but I think it was either that day or		Q When you let her drive for that
	the next day. And I bought flowers and a		one part that afternoon on Saturday, July
14			
15		- 1	5th, how fast did she drive?  A She didn't open it all the way
16	and said on the here, I want you to you		1
17	know, if you need anything, then, please		up. I mean, we were kind of going I
18	reach out to me. I didn't have then	1	couldn't really see the speedometer. I was
19	mannoon. Tarr was my connection to the		behind her. But I would guess kind of maybe
	ranning. I mad novoi mot mo laming. Time i		25, 30. I'm not really I'm just guessing
20	canca not and i missed not and i left a	1	though.
F	voice mail and I said, you know, if they		Q Were both of you wearing your
1	want to talk, please let me know. And then		jackets at that time?
23	not I guess a few weeks after that I got a	23	A Yes. Yeah. I didn't let anyone
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	letter from a lawyer saying not to contact	1	get on the Sea-Doo without putting a jacket
2	mon anymore. So I didn't hy to do	2	OII.
3	any annig oldo artor that.	3	Q Has anyone told you if you had
4	Q Do you suit have contact with	4	your jackets on when you left the Whitlocks'
5	Yari?		that night?
6	A I don't.	6	A No. I don't no one's told me.
7	Q Why not?	7	Q Well, as you've struggled trying
8	A I don't know.	8	to remember this incident, does it make any
9	Q Did she break it off or did you?	9	sense to you that after drinking you would
10	A I mean, it wasn't I kind of	10	get on that Sea-Doo that late at night
11	after the accident I was I wasn't really	11	rather than accepting a ride home?
12	reaching out and communicating with anyone.	12	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.
13	Unless someone reached out to me, for the	13	A From what I understand, we were
14	most part, I just didn't see a lot of people	14	both sober when we left the Whitlocks.
15	for several months afterwards. And then	15	Q Why do you understand that?
16	when I started getting back out a little bit	16	A From what I've been told by
	more, you know, I saw her in passing once or	17	MR. WOLTER: Don't tell them
	twice at events but, you know, by that	18	anything you've talked to lawyers about.
	point, I learned that the that everyone	[	A I mean, so
	was blaming me for this and that not	20	Q Have you been told that by any
	everyone, but that certain people were	21	friends or people that were actually at the
	blaming me, and I felt like she you know,	22	Whitlocks'?
	if she wanted to talk to me, she knew where	23	A No. I haven't had any direct
		L	1.0. I have a trade any another

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1	contact.	1	two hours to get to the spot where the
2	Q Well, does it make any sense	2	accident happened, even putting along at a
3	either that it being that late, you having	3	really slow pace.
4	been drinking, and having been offered a	4	Q Well, let me interrupt you there.
5	ride, that you would have Alya drive the Jet	5	How far is the place where this collision
6	Ski back to your marina?	6	with the dock happened from Ryan's Creek
7	A Again, I don't remember the	7	Marina?
8	decision-making process, but I think that in	8	A It's farther than the Whitlocks'
9	a normal night, when you're I always	9	house I think, but it's kind of trying to
10	traveled slow on the Sea-Doo, and with the	10	describe it. So, like, the Whitlocks' house
11	moon and stars reflecting off the water it	11	is here, and then Ryan's Creek Marina, you
12	was beautiful at night.	1	leave their house and go off kind of this
13	Q Was it that night?	1	way and that part splits off that way where
14	A As far as I remember, yes. I		the accident happened. So if you were going
15		1	from the marina to where the accident
16	there were no clouds or anything, but I	l l	happened, you wouldn't actually cross the
17			Whitlocks' house directly, but you would
18	night was beautiful. And the marina was so	1	kind of take the other part of the "Y."
- 1	close. We both had our phones on us in	19	Again, I'm going from memory.
20		20	Q Well, let me show you Exhibit 24.
21	there was an issue. You know, would I do	21	Just diagram what you're saying for the
	things differently now? Absolutely. Would		directions so we have an idea. You were
1	I take that ride? Yes.	1	telling me where the marina would be, where
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1	Q Would you what?	1	the Whitlocks' would be and where this dock
2	A Take that ride? Yes.	2	was that was hit.
3	Q In the dark after drinking?	3	(Plaintiff's Exhibit
4	MR. WOLTER: I think he's talking	4	Number 24 was marked
5	about the ride that was offered to him.	5	for identification.)
6	THE WITNESS: Right, yeah.	6	A (Witness drawing.) So, you know,
7	Q You would take the ride that was	7	you would take the left side of the fork to
8	offered to you?	1	go back to the marina and you take the right
9	A Yeah. I mean, knowing what I	9	to go to where the accident is.
10	know now, yes, I would have taken that ride	10	Q And how many minutes or miles,
11	from Hunter.	11	however you would characterize it, would you
12	Q So I want to ask you a very broad	1	put between the Whitlock house and the
13	question, and I know you're a lawyer and	1	marina, in your estimation?
1	lawyers rely on evidence. But I want to ask	14	A Probably five minutes or less
	you as a man, as you've tried to piece this	15	maybe. I'm not sure.
16	together, what do you think happened that	16	Q And how many minutes would it
1	night?	17	take to get from
18	MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.	1	A Maybe if you were I mean,
19	A You know, I have tried to make	19	traveling at night probably, maybe take you
20	sense of it. I can't make sense of the fact		ten minutes.
1	that there's a two-hour gap. I don't	21	Q So I'll put ten at night. And
i	know I mean, there's no way it would have	22	how long or how far would it be from the
	taken us two hours to get to the marina or	1	Whitlocks' to the accident dock?
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  <sup>1</sup> A
            Probably less. It's probably a
  <sup>2</sup> shorter distance from the Whitlocks'.
  <sup>3</sup> Again, I'm just estimating. I don't know
  <sup>4</sup> for sure.
  5 Q
            This is lake area here right?
  6 A
            Yes.
    Q
            And this is what?
 8 A
            That's land there.
 9 Q
            This would be land down here?
10 A
            Yes.
11 Q
            All right. I interrupted you.
 Was there anything else you want to say
<sup>13</sup> about what you think happened?
14
           MR. WOLTER: Object to the form.
15 A
            I have tried to figure it out and
<sup>16</sup> I -- I don't know. I just don't know. It
doesn't make sense to me. I mean, not just
<sup>18</sup> for her family's sake, for my own sake, I
19 would love to know.
20 Q
            That's all I have.
21
22
      (Deposition concluded at 11:28 a.m.)
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          I hereby certify that the above
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 <sup>7</sup> by me in stenotype, and the questions and
 <sup>8</sup> answers thereto were reduced to computer
   print under my supervision, and that the
<sup>10</sup> foregoing represents a true and correct
11 transcript of the deposition given by
12 said witness upon said hearing.
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          I further certify that I am
15 neither of counsel nor of kin to the
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   anywise interested in the result of said
18 cause.
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4	CASE NUMBER: CV-16-900001	4	CASE NUMBER: CV-16-900001
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6	MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who	6	MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who
7	sues as Administrator and	7	sues as Administrator and
8	Personal Representative of	8	Personal Representative of
9	the Estate of Albina		the Estate of Albina
10	Agdasovna Sharifullina,	10	Agdasovna Sharifullina,
	Deceased,	1	Deceased,
12	Plaintiff,	12	Plaintiff,
13	VS.	13	VS.
14	DANIEL B. SNYDER,	14	DANIEL B. SNYDER,
15	Defendant.	15	Defendant.
16	DEPOSITION OF JEFFREY WHITLOCK	16	STIPULATION
17	In accordance with Rule 5 (d) of	17	IT IS STIPULATED AND AGREED,
18	the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, as		by and between the parties through their
19	amended, effective May 15, 1988, I, MICHELLE		respective counsel, that the deposition of
	L. PARVIN, am hereby delivering to Stephen D.		JEFFREY WHITLOCK may be taken before Michelle
	Heninger the original transcript of the oral		L. Parvin, Commissioner, at the offices of
			Knight & Knight, 210 Second Street, SE,
	testimony taken on the 1st day of August,		Cullman, Alabama, 35055, on the 1st day of
23	2017, along with exhibits.  Page 2	23	Page 4
1	Please be advised that this is	1	August, 2017.
2		2	IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND
3	Reporter, nor filed with the Court.		AGREED that the signature to and the reading
4	Reporter, nor med with the Court.	1	of the deposition by the witness is waived,
5		1	the deposition to have the same force and
6		1	effect as if full compliance had been had
7		1	with all laws and rules of Court relating to
8		1	the taking of depositions.
9		9	IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND
10			
11			AGREED that it shall not be necessary for any
12		1	objections to be made by counsel to any
13		1	questions, except as to form or leading
14			questions, and that counsel for the parties
15			may make objections and assign grounds at the
16		15	time of thus, of the time said deposition
			is offered in evidence, or prior thereto.
17		17	IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND
18			AGREED that notice of filing of the
19		19	deposition by the Commissioner is waived.
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2		2	DANIEL WOLTER LAW FIRM by Mr.
3	EXAMINATION BY: PAGE NUMBER:	3	Daniel S. Wolter, 402 Office Park Drive,
4	Mr. Heninger 8	4	Suite 100, Mountain Brook, Alabama, 35223,
	Mr. Wolter 31	5	appearing on behalf of the Defendant.
	Mr. Heninger 31	6	KNIGHT & KNIGHT, LLC, by Mr.
7	C	7	Jason P. Knight, 210 Second Street, SE,
8	EXHIBITS:	8	Cullman, Alabama, 35055, appearing on behalf
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1	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF	1	I, Michelle L. Parvin, a Court
2	CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA	2	Reporter of Birmingham, Alabama, acting as
3		3	Commissioner, certify that on this date, as
4	CASE NUMBER: CV-16-900001	4	provided by the Alabama Rules of Civil
5			Procedure and the foregoing stipulation of
6	MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who		counsel, there came before me at 210 Second
	sues as Administrator and	7	Street, SE, Cullman, Alabama, 35055,
	Personal Representative of	8	beginning at 1:32 p.m., JEFFREY WHITLOCK,
9	the Estate of Albina	9	witness in the above cause, for oral
10	Agdasovna Sharifullina,	10	examination, whereupon the following
	Deceased.	11	proceedings were had:
12	Plaintiff,	12	proceedings were much
13	VS.	13	JEFFREY WHITLOCK,
14	DANIEL B. SNYDER,	14	being first duly sworn, was examined and
15	Defendant.	15	testified as follows:
16	Domain.	16	Control do Torio Ho.
17	BEFORE:	17	THE COURT REPORTER: Okay. Usual
18	Michelle L. Parvin, Certified	18	stipulations?
19	Court Reporter	19	MR. HENINGER: That's fine.
20	APPEARANCES:	20	MIX. HEMINOEK. That's fille.
21	HENINGER GARRISON DAVIS, LLC, by	21	EXAMINATION BY MR. HENINGER:
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	Mr. Stephen D. Heninger, 2224 First Avenue	23	O Mr Whitlash would you sive us
ديا	North, Birmingham, Alabama, 35203, appearing	ديا	Q. Mr. Whitlock, would you give us

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<sup>1</sup> your full name? <sup>1</sup> A. With the exce	eption of one.
<sup>2</sup> A. Jeffrey Howard Whitlock. <sup>2</sup> Q. All right. Wh	hat was the
Q. Are you Hunter Whitlock's father? 3 exception?	
4 A. Correct. 4 A. Some fund-ra	aiser.
<sup>5</sup> Q. So, you have Hunter and Hollis. <sup>5</sup> Q. In Birmingha	ım?
6 Any other children? 6 A. In Birmingha	ım.
7 A. Haley. 7 Q. How did you	first meet him?
8 Q. Do you own a lake house 8 A. My daughter,	, Hollis, showed up
<sup>9</sup> A. I do. <sup>9</sup> one weekend with a b	oyfriend and four or five
Q at Smith Lake? 10 attorneys. He was one	e of them.
Do you know the address for that 11 Q. Was her boyf	friend a lawyer?
	producer at Channel
13 A. I do. 13 6 maybe.	•
Q. What is it?	hen, she's got good
A. 680 County Road Highway 218, <sup>15</sup> taste, I guess.	
	rid of him and just
Q. How long have you owned that 17 got married to another	-
18 place? 18 Q. Well, I'm her	_
1	h of July holiday back
	remember Daniel Snyder
	ned Albina or Alya being
Q. And what is your permanent 22 with him?	Jan 2 and Jan 2
<sup>23</sup> residence address? <sup>23</sup> A. Well, I knew	he had a girl with
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<sup>1</sup> A. Columbiana. <sup>1</sup> him. I don't really kn	ow her name.
	talk with her?
	y, briefly. Not
<sup>4</sup> Columbiana, 35051. <sup>4</sup> long.	, , ,
<sup>5</sup> Q. Do you still work at Alabama <sup>5</sup> Q. Did you talk	with him?
6 Plate Cutting? 6 A. A little bit.	
	been told they had
8 me off, but I'm still there. 8 dinner at your place the	-
	don't know if they
	e there. Now, whether
Q. Do you own it?	· ·
A. It owns me. I need to be there Q. Did you cool	
13 now. 13 A. I did.	
	u what did you
15 soon.	,
	smoked barbecue.
, ,	e a lot of people at
18 A. Yes. 18 the house that night?	r · · r
	s, all three kids,
20 Snyder? 20 and some of their frie	
	drinking alcohol while
Q. Every time you have seen him,	_
	never really did see

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1	that. I was down at the dock, 2:00, 3:00	1	wasn't. Yes, it is. I've owned them since
2	o'clock in the afternoon. He came by. He	ı	'95. He said, well, I've read the law. The
3		ı	law says if I've got lights, I'm good to go.
4		ı	You're the attorney. I guess you know. So,
5	•	ı	then, I started telling him he needed to
6	He did ask I had I had a	ı	leave, because I honestly think it's
7	beer. He did ask for one. I said I didn't	7	dangerous to do it.
8	have any. Bought for me. He left, came	8	Q. What, being on the lake when it's
9	back. And she told me she worked for a	9	dark like that?
10	distributor and gave out free drinks. She	10	A. I think, yeah. You know, I'd get
11	brought back three bottles. Two of them were	11	on the lake in the pontoon boat, but I'm not
12	_	12	going to get on a Sea-Doo. And I think you
13	set them down the next morning, and one of	13	don't need to be on a Sea-Doo after dark.
14	<u> </u>	14	Q. What was the weather like that
15		15	night?
16	Q. Who was taking the shots?	16	A. I don't remember.
17	A. Not me. Truthfully, not me.	17	Q. But you do recall it was dark
18	But I don't know, just these kids.	18	when he left?
19	Q. Not just Daniel and her?	19	A. I started telling him right
20	A. I mean, I don't I didn't	20	before probably right before 9:00 o'clock.
21	really see Daniel do it. She was the one	21	And he probably left about thirty minutes
22	that brought the bottle up, got everybody.	22	thereafter or so.
23	Somebody went in the house, came out with	23	Q. Did you know that Hunter had
	Page 14		Page 16
1	Solo cups. Two rounds of it, and it was	1	offered to take them back to Ryan's Creek
2	gone.	2	Marina?
3	Q. What was it?	3	A. I negotiated the deal. I told
4	A. Don't know.	4	him, got Hunter out there, and said, Hunter,
5	Q. Do you know what any of the three	5	you need to take him back. He didn't want to
6	bottles were?	6	do it. That's why it took thirty minutes for
7	A. I remember one was some Tequila	7	him to leave.
8	that had a horseshoe on it. I kept it for a	8	Q. Who, Daniel?
9	year, threw it away. I thought the police	9	A. Daniel.
10	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	10	Q. At one point, was he willing to
11			let Hunter take them back?
12	was still full. And the empty one that	12	A. When he finally when he
13	into 1 surus, 10 moorum, Just Bot 1 mo	13	finally left, he I'm sitting over here by
	rounds, about ten people, and it was gone.	14	my smoker (indicating). A table was there,
15	Q. Do you remember about what time	15	I'm in the corner here, stairs going
16	and from the disc that higher	16	ε
17	A. You know, I started telling him	ı	he said, all right. I'll let Hunter do it.
18			I said, good. Hunter came back up later and
19	··· <del></del>	19	said, got down there and Daniel said, I've
20	Q. Why?	20	got this. The marina wasn't that far away
21	A. He was on the Sea-Doo. And I was	21	from our house.

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<sup>22</sup> telling him to leave because it -- you know,

23 it's illegal to run them, and he said, no, it

Q. Daniel told us it's only about

<sup>23</sup> five minutes by water; does that sound right?

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1	A. It's probably less than that.	1	A. That kind of looked like it.
2	Q. Did you see he and the girl,	2	Yeah, that's it (indicating). That's where I
3	Alya, leave?	3	was told it happened at, right there
4	A. No. I saw them leave at the top	4	(indicating). In fact, if you look I just
5	of the steps, yes.	5	looked at it this past weekend because it's
6	Q. Saw them going down?	6	not far from my place either, and you can
7	A. Saw them when he told me, she	7	still see a dent in that dock right there
8	was with him. And she heard everything I	8	(indicating).
9	told him, you know, it's dangerous. You hit	9	Q. Yeah, I think I'll show you
10	a log, you know, you've got to get on a	10	Exhibit 13, and you can see it more up close.
11	plane.	11	A. Uh-huh.
12	Q. Did you hear her have any	12	Q. And Exhibit 14, right there
13	conversation about whether Daniel should	13	(indicating).
14	listen to you and Hunter or not?	14	A. Yeah, that's right there
15	A. Huh-uh.	15	(indicating). That's what I saw.
16	Q. She didn't pitch in at all?	16	Q. So, that
17	A. Not that I remember. If she did,	17	A. And I assume that's where it got
18	I mean you know, I'm sure she did. She	18	hit. I'm not real sure.
19	seemed to be I had a hard time	19	Q. Do you know whose property that
20	understanding her. She had an accent.	20	is?
21	Q. Did she ever appear intoxicated	21	A. No, I have no clue.
22	to you?	22	Q. What is the name of that section
23	A. No.	23	of the lake?
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1	Q. Did he?	1	A. You know, I think that may be
2	A. No.	2	Sulphur Creek.
3	Q. Could you tell	3	Q. Sulphur Creek?
4	A. In fact, nobody	4	A. I think so.
5	Q he had been drinking?	5	Q. How far is this location shown on
6	A nobody there that night looked	6	Plaintiff's Exhibit 14 to the Snyder
7	to me to be intoxicated.	7	deposition from your lake house?
8	Q. Are you familiar with where the	8	A. Closer than the marina.
9	Sea-Doo hit that night and this young lady	9	Q. Would you go past this location
10	lost her life?	10	that's shown in Exhibit 14?
11	A. I went and looked at it later.	11	A. You would have to make a right
12	Q. Do you know whose property that	12	and go up in there.
13	is?	13	Q. I mean, if you were headed back
14	A. No, I don't.	14	to Ryan's Creek Marina from your place on
15	Q. Let me show you what was marked	15	this Sea-Doo, would you go by this
16	as Exhibit 11 to Danny Snyder's deposition.	16	location
	Does that property on the lake look familiar	17	A. No.
	to you?	18	Q in Exhibit 14?
19	A. That's not what I was told where	19	A. No. You leave my house right
20	it was hit. No, I don't know where that's	20	here and go around the bend and go right
21	at.	21	around like that to the marina (indicating).
22	Q. Let's try some others. How about		Right where you make this bend, this goes way
23	Number 12 to his deposition?	1	up in here, and it splits out this way and it
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1	splits this way (indicating). And that is	1	Q. I'm going to put wakeboarding.
2	sitting right there (indicating).	2	A. Probably hadn't been in that
3	Q. So we'll have an idea about what	3	slough maybe twice in my life myself, maybe
4	you just showed us with your fingers, can you	4	three times.
5	draw that? Show your lake house and orient	5	Q. Is that a narrow slough?
6	us for the Ryan's Creek and then for the	6	A. It's pretty wide where that house
7	Sulphur Creek.	7	is. It's shallow. It's not very deep back
8	A. The main thing I can remember	8	in you know, it doesn't go very far back
9	is I didn't draw that right. It's	9	in there. I mean, I rode in there after the
10	probably right here (indicating). There's	10	accident happened. Somebody told me where it
11	a this is where the kids always went	11	was. I went and looked. And then, I think I
12	wakeboarding (indicating). And this dead	12	Googled and saw a picture on the Internet.
13	ends up in here and dead ends up in here	13	Q. I'm going to mark this as Exhibit
14	(indicating). And there may be a little path	14	1 to your deposition.
15	this, that, and the other.	15	, and the second
16	Q. Okay. Which square is your lake	16	(Whereupon, Plaintiff's Exhibit 1
17		17	was marked for identification and
18	A. Right here (indicating).	18	copy of same is attached hereto.)
19	Q. Okay. With the X in it?	19	copy of summers in according
20	A. Right around here (indicating).	20	Q. (BY MR. HENINGER) Do you go by
21	Q. Okay. And put a put an M by	21	Jeffrey or Jeff?
22	the marina where Daniel's Sea-Doo would be.	22	A. Jeff.
23	A. (Witness complies.)	23	MR. HENINGER: I'm going to put
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1	Okay. That's basically it.	1	Jeff Hunter at the bottom so we can know the
2	Q. Is this one where the collision		difference, Michelle.
3	with the dock occurred (indicating)?	3	THE WITNESS: Yeah, I don't know
4	A. I believe so.	4	if Hunter's ever if he knows I know he
5	Q. Okay. Let me clarify that.	1	knows the slough, but I don't know if he
6	A. Similar to that, you know, close	ı	knows that dock. He may have. I've never
7	to what I believe.	ı	talked to him about it.
8	Q. And these circles, you say, are	8	Q. He said it didn't look familiar
9	dead ends?	9	to him.
10	A. Yeah, just back in the back, back	10	A. You wouldn't see it unless you
11	of the slough.	11	went in it.
12	Q. Where the slough ends?	12	Q. Into the slough?
13	A. Right.	13	A. Right. I'm assuming he had to be
14	Q. And what'd you say about	14	going that way because there's dirt and an
15	wakeboarding?	15	island coming out of it, you know. If you
16	A. The kids, when I bought them a	16	went back in the back and turned he had to
17	wakeboard, they'd go back in that slough and	17	hit it coming in, which showed the mark on
18	wakeboard, mey d go back in that slough and wakeboard.	18	
19			the dock. That's the only reason I think he hit it there.
20	~	20	
21	A. Not that one, the other one.		Q. I'm not sure I understand what
22	Q. This one (indicating)?	22	you're saying.
	A. Yeah, which is more the main		A. I said, the only reason I think
_∠3	drag.	∠ 3	he hit it there is because I saw the damage

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2	to the dock.		71. I didn't know. I didn't see it.
3	Q. Right.		I saw them at the top of the stairs.
	A. I don't know if they repaired it	3	Q. During the day at all, did you
	or I'm assuming that what you had circled,		see who was driving that Sea-Doo?
5	I saw Sunday.	5	A. Saw him one time. The first time
6	Q. Uh-huh. Now, if Daniel Snyder	0	that afternoon when I was down on my dock, he
	left your lake house at around 10:00 and this		came by and he was driving and she was on the
8	collision occurred		back. That's the only time I ever saw him on
9	A. Probably 9:30 and 10:00,	9	the Sea-Doo.
10	somewhere in that neighborhood.	10	Q. Has anyone given you any
11	Q. If so, when this collision		information or have you overheard anything
12	napponed around infamigne, nave you got any	12	me out white on the sing that the of
13	The second secon		two-and-a-half-hour period before this
14	that two or two-and-a-half-hour period?		collision?
15	A. I'm assuming they went back to	15	A. Huh-uh. I tried to contact him
16	his cruiser.	16	to see if he was okay. Never heard a word
17	Q. Where was that, at the marina?	17	from him.
18	A. Ryan Creek, uh-huh.	18	Q. Have you talked to him since?
19	Q. What makes you assume that?	19	A. Never heard a word from him.
20	A. Because that's where they were	20	Q. Have you talked to his brother or
21	headed.	21	anyone in his family?
22	Q. That's what he said?	22	A. His brother did. I believe his
23	A. Yeah.	23	brother called and asked some questions. And
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1	Q. He actually told you that's where		it was something about taking the boat back
2	he was going?	2	to Guntersville. And somewhere along the
3	A. Good question. We talked about	3	line I don't know if it was his brother or
4	going by car. And it's a circle at my house.	4	somebody made mention that they found her
5	We had to move too many cars to get out. Run	5	with the Sea-Doo key on her vest, but, you
6	him back to the marina, Hunter taking him to	6	know, that's just not hearsay, I guess.
7	the marina.	7	And I don't know if that was the brother or
8	Q. In the boat?	8	somebody else made mention of that.
9	A. Yeah. So, I mean, that's the	9	Q. Did you ever talk to any
10	only way I can say that the marina is, that	10	investigators?
11	that's what we talked about was taking him by	11	A. Oh, yeah.
12	car first, come back and get his Sea-Doo	12	Q. See, I've seen have you seen
13	tomorrow. And the next day the next thing	13	the written investigation?
14	was Hunter taking him by boat to the marina.	14	A. No.
15	Q. And that was clear in the	15	Q. There's no mention of any key to
16	conversation that's what the plan was?	16	the Sea-Doo being on her vest.
17	A. Oh, definitely clear. That part	17	A. No, I have not seen it.
18	was definitely clear.	18	Q. Did you know any of the
19	Q. And you never heard him say that	19	investigators?
20	he was going to go anywhere else?	20	A. Oh, yeah, I know John Williams.
21	A. No.	21	Q. How do you know John?
22	Q. Do you know who was driving the	22	A. Know his ordinance, tickets.
23	Sea-Doo when they left?	23	
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       Q. Anything else that you think
                                                       <sup>1</sup> EXAMINATION BY MR. WOLTER:
 <sup>2</sup> might be of benefit to us to understand how
 <sup>3</sup> this happened?
                                                             Q. Mr. Whitlock, I'm Danny Wolter,
       A. No, I mean, you know, the day
                                                         and I represent Daniel Snyder. Just a couple
                                                          of questions.
 <sup>5</sup> that they came up and took -- John and the
   sheriff ---
                                                             A. Okay.
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                                                       7
                                                             Q. You don't know who was driving
           THE WITNESS: You were there.
                                                          the Sea-Doo when it left that night, correct?
       A. -- the statement and talked to me
   about it, all they said was, basically,
                                                             A. Didn't look, didn't see, no, sir.
<sup>10</sup> they -- he was hanging on the dock, and she
                                                             Q. And you don't have any idea who
was face down across a wire in the water.
                                                          was driving the Sea-Doo when this accident
12
       Q. I think I've got a written
                                                          occurred, do you?
13 statement from you, It's very short, Jeff,
                                                      13
                                                             A. I have no idea.
<sup>14</sup> I'm going to mark as Exhibit 2. Just ask you
                                                             Q. And nobody has given you an
                                                          opinion as to who was driving at the time of
<sup>15</sup> if you can confirm this is the written
                                                          the accident?
   statement you gave to the investigators on
                                                      16
   the 14th of July, 2014.
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                                                             A. Nobody gave me an opinion.
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                                                                 MR. WOLTER: Thank you. That's
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           (Whereupon, Plaintiff's Exhibit 2
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                                                          all I have.
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           was marked for identification and
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           copy of same is attached hereto.)
                                                          FURTHER EXAMINATION BY MR. HENINGER:
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23
                                                                 Just this: While Daniel and Alya
            Yeah, that's what I gave him,
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 <sup>1</sup> but, you know, I did -- they did come by
                                                       <sup>1</sup> were at your lake house that night, did you
 <sup>2</sup> around 6:00, left about 6:20, and came back
                                                          ever see them argue?
 <sup>3</sup> about probably 7:30 or so, 7:45, left
                                                              A. No.
 <sup>4</sup> probably 9:30 or 10:00, somewhere in that
                                                       4
                                                              Q. Did they seem to be getting along
 <sup>5</sup> neighborhood.
                                                         just fine?
           Now, when I saw him at 3:00 --
                                                              A. She seemed to be a happy-go --
 <sup>7</sup> 2:00 or 3:00 or somewhere in there, it was
                                                          you know, a happy-go-lucky girl. You know, I
                                                          was told that she worked for a distributor
   down on the dock on the Sea-Doo.
 9
                                                          giving away free drinks. When he found out I
       Q. (BY MR. HENINGER) At your dock?
10
       A. My dock. When I saw him the
                                                          didn't really have any booze, he said, hey,
   second time, I'm sitting up there by myself,
                                                          you know -- she piped up and said, hey, I've
   and he and her walked up, which is a hundred
                                                          got a trunk loaded. I've got a trunk full of
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   and ten steps.
                                                          it. And I actually told her, I don't need
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                                                      <sup>14</sup> it.
       O. A hundred and ten?
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                                                      15
       A. A hundred and ten.
                                                                 My oldest daughter, Haley and my
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       Q. And it's a hundred and ten down,
                                                      <sup>16</sup> two grandkids was there, and there was not
                                                          going to be a dadgum hoedown, okay? She
17
   too, isn't it?
                                                          would have picked herself up with my
18
       A. A hundred and ten down. Those
   are easy. It's the hundred and ten up that's
                                                          grandkids and left.
                                                      20
20
   the problem.
                                                                 MR. HENINGER: Thanks. That's
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           MR. HENINGER: That's all I have.
                                                      <sup>21</sup> all I have.
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                                                                 MR. WOLTER: Thank you.
   Thank you.
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                                                                FURTHER DEPONENT SAITH NOT.
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2	CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA	2	CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA
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6	MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who	6	MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who
7	sues as Administrator and	7	sues as Administrator and
8	Personal Representative of	ı	Personal Representative of
9	the Estate of Albina	9	the Estate of Albina
10	Agdasovna Sharifullina,	10	Agdasovna Sharifullina,
11	Deceased,	11	Deceased,
12	Plaintiff,	12	Plaintiff,
13	VS.	13	VS.
14	DANIEL B. SNYDER,	14	DANIEL B. SNYDER,
15	Defendant.	15	Defendant.
16	DEPOSITION OF HUNTER WHITLOCK	16	STIPULATION
17	In accordance with Rule 5 (d) of	17	IT IS STIPULATED AND AGREED,
18	the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, as	18	by and between the parties through their
19	amended, effective May 15, 1988, I, MICHELLE	19	respective counsel, that the deposition of
20	L. PARVIN, am hereby delivering to STEPHEN D.	20	HUNTER WHITLOCK may be taken before Michelle
21	HENINGER the original transcript of the oral	21	L. Parvin, Commissioner, at the offices of
22	testimony taken on the 1st day of August,	22	Knight & Knight, 210 Second Street, SE,
23	2017, along with exhibits.	23	Cullman, Alabama, 35055, on the 1st day of
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1	Please be advised that this is		August, 2017.
2	the same and not retained by the Court	2	IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND
3	Reporter, nor filed with the Court.		AGREED that the signature to and the reading
4			of the deposition by the witness is waived,
5			the deposition to have the same force and
6		ı	effect as if full compliance had been had
7		7	with all laws and rules of Court relating to
8		8	the taking of depositions.
9		9	IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND
10		10	AGREED that it shall not be necessary for any
11		11	objections to be made by counsel to any
12		12	questions, except as to form or leading
13		13	questions, and that counsel for the parties
14		14	may make objections and assign grounds at the
15		15	time of trial, or at the time said deposition
16		16	is offered in evidence, or prior thereto.
17		17	IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND
18		18	AGREED that notice of filing of the
19		19	deposition by the Commissioner is waived.
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2		2	DANIEL WOLTER LAW FIRM by Mr.
3	Emministration B1: Thospiconbert.	3	Daniel S. Wolter, 402 Office Park Drive,
	Mr. Heninger 9	4	Saite 100, Moantam Brook, Masama, 33223,
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3		3	Commissioner, certify that on this date, as
4	CASE NUMBER: CV-16-900001	4	provided by the Alabama Rules of Civil
5		5	Procedure and the foregoing stipulation of
6	MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, who	6	counsel, there came before me at 210 Second
7	sues as Administrator and	7	Street, SE, Cullman, Alabama, 35055,
8	Personal Representative of	8	beginning at 1:04 p.m., HUNTER WHITLOCK,
9	the Estate of Albina	9	witness in the above cause, for oral
10	Agdasovna Sharifullina,	10	examination, whereupon the following
11	Deceased,	11	proceedings were had:
12	Plaintiff,	12	
13	VS.	13	HUNTER WHITLOCK,
14	DANIEL B. SNYDER,	14	being first duly sworn, was examined and
15	Defendant.	15	testified as follows:
16		16	
17	BEFORE:	17	THE COURT REPORTER: Okay. Usual
18	Michelle L. Parvin, Certified	18	stipulations?
19	Court Reporter	19	MR. WOLTER: Sure.
20	APPEARANCES:	20	MR. HENINGER: That's fine.
21	HENINGER GARRISON DAVIS, LLC, by	21	
22	Mr. Stephen D. Heninger, 2224 First Avenue	22	
23	North, Birmingham, Alabama, 35203, appearing	23	

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2		NATION BY MR. HENINGER:	2	A.	Yes.
3		Handan II. Chara Handaran and I	3	Q.	Where does Hollis work?
	-	Hunter, I'm Steve Heninger, and I	4	A.	I don't know.
4	-	the mother of Albina that was	5	Q.	Is she younger or older than you?
5		at's involved in this case. Would	6	A.	Older.
6		us your full name for the record?	_	Q.	Now, I'm here to ask you some
		Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock.	7	-	as about the 4th of July weekend and
8		What is your residence address?		-	in 2014. We have taken the
9		4113 Clover Leaf Drive,	9	-	on of Mr. Snyder, and I want to ask
10	_	nam, Alabama.	10		ne questions to see if he is correct in
	_	Are you married?			his recollection or incorrect. And
12		No, sir.	1		ome things he doesn't recollect, and
13	_	Have you been married?			o see if you do have a memory about
14		No, sir.	1		e you read his deposition?
15		Do you live by yourself?	15		No, sir.
16		I have a roommate.	16	_	Have you spoken to Daniel Snyder
17		Where are you employed?	17		is incident?
18		Alabama Plate Cutting.	18		No, sir. I haven't seen him
19	_	Is your father also employed	19		at day he left the dock. That was
20	uicic.		20	the last	time I spoke to him.
21	A.	Yes.	21	Q.	When Alya or Albina was still
22	Q.	What is your position with that	22	alive?	
23	company		23	A.	Yes, sir.
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1		Manager.	1	I	MR. HENINGER: And that's
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1	A. I believe he stopped by and we	1	Q. And I think they call that Ryan's
2	were gone. All the young people had gone out	2	Creek, don't they?
3	on the boat. I don't know for certain, but I	3	A. It seems to change every year.
4	believe my dad was there. I think he talked	4	MR. KNIGHT: Yeah.
5	to them and told him we weren't there.	5	A. I don't know what it's called
6	Q. Did you go to the pool party that	6	now.
7	he says he went to?	7	MR. KNIGHT: Trident Marina.
8	A. Yes, sir.	8	THE WITNESS: Yeah, that's
9	Q. Whose house was that?	9	correct.
10	A. Bill Kepsil.	10	Q. (BY MR. HENINGER) Were you at
11	MR. WOLTER: That last name?	11	the lake house all day except for times when
12	THE WITNESS: Kepsil.	12	you might be out on the boat or at the pool
13	MR. WOLTER: Kepsil.	13	party?
14	Q. (BY MR. HENINGER) Do you know	14	A. Yes, sir.
15	how to spell that?	15	Q. Did someone invite Daniel and
16	A. No, sir.	16	Alya to come back to your house for dinner?
17	Q. Was Hollis also there?	17	A. No, sir.
18	A. Yes, sir.	18	Q. Did they show up for dinner?
19	Q. Had you met Alya, the girl that	19	A. I don't know if they were there
20	was with Daniel that day, before that day?	20	for dinner or not. They just were there. I
21	A. No, sir.	21	don't know if but, no, the answer is,
22	Q. So, that was the first day you'd	22	they I don't believe they were invited to
	met her?		the house for dinner, no.
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1	A. Yes, sir.	1	Q. Do you remember Daniel bringing
2	Q. Have you ever been on the Sea-Doo		liquor
3	that he had at that time?	3	A. I didn't
4		4	
5	A. No, sir.	5	-
6	Q. Have you seen him on it?		A. I didn't personally invite him.
7	A. Yes, sir.		My sister, who was, you know, his friend, she
	Q. Had you seen him on it before		may have said come on, but I don't recall
8	that day?	8	ever hearing that.
	A. Yes, sir.		Q. I understand. Do you remember
10	Q. Did you ever see Alya drive that	10	Daniel bringing some liquor back just before
11	Sea-Doo that day?	11	dinner as a thank you for the invitation?
12	A. No, sir.	12	A. I don't believe it was any I
13	Q. And did you see Daniel drive it?	13	don't believe he brought it as a gift or
14	A. Yes, sir.	14	anything. He just had it.
15	Q. Now, he has described the place	15	Q. Was he intoxicated that night?
16	where he would keep ms sea Boo as sems	16	A. In my opinion, no, when I left
17	about five minutes by water away from your	17	him, when he left me.
18	parents' house at the lake; is that about	18	Q. Was he drinking?
19	right?	19	A. I couldn't answer that to
20	A. Yes, sir.	20	truthfully. I never actually witnessed him
21	Q. Had you ever been to the marina	21	drinking.
22	where he kept his Sea-Doo?	22	Q. Was Alya, the girl he was with,
23	A. Yes, sir.	23	intoxicated?

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	71. In my opinion, no, out there	2	A. Yes, sir.
2	again, i never withessed her armxing.		Q. Is it still true?
3	Q. Well, how much time did you	3	A. Let me read through it. The only
4	actually spend with Damer of Thya at the	4	thing I don't specifically recall is the
5	lake house before they left that night?	5	times, but from what I see here, it sounds
6	A. I mean, it seems like they were	6	about accurate.
7	only there maybe three hours. It seems like	7	Q. That's your best judgment?
8	they got there around 6:30 and left somewhere	8	A. Yes.
9	around 9:00.	9	Q. Now, how did it arise that when
10	Q. Well, were they in your presence	10	Daniel was about to leave that you approached
11	man whore there of the ving the onte	11	him about not taking his Sea-Doo?
12	people?	12	A. What do you what do you mean?
13	A. Moving around.	13	Q. Well, what caused you to even
14	Q. What do you recall them doing	14	make him the offer to drive him back to the
15	during that three-hour period?	15	marina rather than have him go out on the
16	A. Talking with people.	16	Sea-Doo that late at night?
17	Q. Were they both drinking alcoholic	17	A. It was dark and I was under the
18	beverages?	18	impression that it was illegal to ride a
19	A. I told you I can't answer that.	19	Sea-Doo at night even with or without lights
20	I don't know. I didn't personally witness	20	on it. I didn't know the law, but that's
21	them pour a drink and consume it. I didn't	21	what I thought it was. So, that's why I told
22	see that.	22	him he didn't need to ride it.
23	Q. Were you?	23	Q. And what was his response?
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Q. But it had to be hand held:	•
71. Tes. described being hand held p	
Q. This that you saw that as the	mean, yean,
<sup>5</sup> Sea-Doo was leaving your dock?	11
6 A. Correct. 6 Q. I don't know. I was	
Q. So, your offer was to take Daniel <sup>7</sup> Just asking your perception.	
8 and Alya back to his marina in your father's 8 A. My perception was,	, yes, it was a
9 boat? 9 fairly bright light.	
A. Correct.	was driving
Q. And that was a short distance, I 11 the Sea-Doo?	
12 take it?	
A. Correct. Q. Do you have an opi	inion'?
Q. By water anyway?	
A. (Witness nods head.)  MR. WOLTER: Ob	•
Q. How far would that be if you had Q. (BY MR. HENING	· ·
<sup>17</sup> to drive it in a car? <sup>17</sup> you told me earlier, you'd se	een Daniel
A. Probably the same, five minutes.   18 driving it earlier that day?	
Q. And as I understand it, he	
20 initially agreed to that?   20 Q. Not Alya?	
21 A. Correct.	
Q. But, then, changed his mind? 22 Q. Had you seen her or	n it as a
23 A. Correct. 23 passenger behind him?	
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Q. Did you see Daniel and/or Alya   A. Correct.	
<sup>2</sup> put on their life jackets?	
<sup>3</sup> A. I did. <sup>3</sup> passenger during the day the	at you saw it?
Q. Did they have them on before they  4 A. No, sir.	
<sup>5</sup> were going to get into your boat for you to G. Did you ever see an	nyone else
6 drive them? 6 operate the Sea-Doo that da	ıy?
<sup>7</sup> A. No.   <sup>7</sup> A. No, sir.	
8 Q. But you saw them on before they 8 Q. What do you remen	•
<sup>9</sup> got on the Sea-Doo? <sup>9</sup> saying that she'd forgotten h	ner cell phone
A. I believe I wrote it right here,	se to get it
<sup>11</sup> I saw them I then saw him and his friend <sup>11</sup> before they left?	
$  ^{12}$ putting on life jackets. When they were $  ^{12}$ A. That's it. I remember	-
putting on the life jackets, I walked I lag her cell phone and she went	•
<sup>14</sup> walked away. I was done. So, I was going <sup>14</sup> to get it. Daniel and I sat do	own on the
<sup>15</sup> upstairs. I walked across the bridge. I <sup>15</sup> stairs and waited for her.	
started up the stairs. I heard the Sea-Doo Q. As far as you know	v, did she get
start up. I turned around, I saw a green 17 it?	
$\begin{vmatrix} 18 \end{vmatrix}$ light and the white light being held up. $\begin{vmatrix} 18 \end{vmatrix}$ A. As far as I know, I	
Q. The lantern being held up? 19 did. I think Daniel sent her	a Daniel
20 A. (Witness nods head.) 20 called her Daniel called it	t to see if it
Q. Was the Sea-Doo moving at that 21 was in her bag. It wasn't. S	She went
22 time when you noticed that? 22 upstairs to get it. So, I mean	n, that'll tell
A. It must have been. I heard the	x, because they left

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1	within five minutes after that phone call.	1	Q. Have you been in that area of the
2	Q. Do you remember how the two of	2	lake before on water?
3	them were dressed that night when they left?	3	A. Yes, sir.
4	A. Couldn't tell you.	4	Q. How far is that from your
5	Q. Do you know a person named Joseph	5	parents' lake house?
6	Newman?	6	A. It's between there and Ryan Creek
7	A. No, sir.	7	Marina. So, less than five minutes.
8	Q. How did you first learn about	8	Q. Do you think that if you left
9	this terrible tragedy where Alya lost her	9	your parents' lake house by boat or Sea-Doo
10	life?	10	and were headed to Ryan's Creek Marina where
11	A. I believe the next morning, I had	11	Daniel moored his Sea-Doo, you would go by
12	a Facebook message from Daniel's brother.	12	this location that's shown in Exhibit 11?
13	Q. Do you remember what it said?	13	A. Yes.
14	A. Not specifically, no.	14	Q. See, he told me you would not.
15	Q. Were you told that it happened	15	I'm trying to figure out why he would say
16	close to midnight?	16	that.
17	A. I believe I recall someone saying	17	A. I mean, first of all, you're
18	that. I couldn't tell you who.	18	showing me a picture of the lake. I mean, it
19	Q. Now, from your recollection,	19	could be anywhere. But, in my opinion, I
20	especially the statement which you wrote,	20	think this is the point. I know that green
21	Exhibit 1, which is pretty close in time to	21	boat right there, just right around that
22	when this happened, you indicated that they	22	curve is the marina right there (indicating).
23	probably left your parents' place by 10:00	23	THE WITNESS: Isn't it?
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1	o'clock?	1	MR. KNIGHT: (Counsel nods head.)
2	A. To be honest with you, I don't	2	Q. (BY MR. HENINGER) Ryan's Creek
3	recall specific times, but, like I said, if	3	Marina?
4	you want to know that, you can look at the	4	A. Uh-huh.
5	cell phone record. Whenever that call was	5	Q. Is that a yes?
6	made, that's they left within five or ten	6	A. Yes. Excuse me.
7	minutes of that.	7	Q. Let me see if these other
8	Q. You're talking about the one	8	pictures help you at all. There's Number 12
9	where Daniel called Alya's cell phone?	9	from the Snyder deposition, 13. Do you still
10	A. Uh-huh.	10	think it looks familiar to you?
11	Q. Is that a yes?	11	A. I don't recognize that dock, no.
12	A. Yes, sir. I'm sorry. Excuse me.	12	That's a different dock than what you showed
13	Q. That's all right.	13	me.
14	Are you familiar now with where	14	Q. It's a different dock?
15	the Sea-Doo hit this dock?	15	A. Yeah.
16	A. No, sir.	16	Q. But it's near the one I showed
17	Q. Let me show you what is marked as	17	you in Number 11?
18	Plaintiff's Exhibit 11 to Daniel Snyder's	18	A. I don't recognize that dock. I
19	deposition. Does that look familiar to you?	19	couldn't tell you what it's near.
20	A. Yes, sir.	20	Q. How about that one, which is
21	Q. Do you know whose property that	21	Exhibit 14 to Snyder's deposition?
1	is?	22	A. I don't recognize that dock.
23	A. No, sir.	23	Q. Do you know Billy Cosper that

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	worked at the marina?	ı	happened?
2	A. No, sir.	2	A. I told you the last time I talked
3	Q. Well, do you have any information	3	to him.
4	that can shed any light for us on how Daniel	4	Q. And you told me his brother was
5	went from around 10:00 o'clock leaving your	5	the one that texted you about the collision?
6	parents' lake house and being at this	6	A. Yes.
7	location that you're familiar with in Exhibit	7	Q. In that text, did he let you know
8	11 at midnight?	8	there was a death?
9	A. I do not. I haven't seen or	9	A. I don't recall.
10	spoken to Daniel I take that back. I saw	10	Q. Do you have any reason to hide
11	him out in public at a football game and	11	any information for Daniel Snyder's benefit?
12	wouldn't speak to him. But I haven't spoken	12	A. No, sir, not at all.
13	to him since that night when I walked away	13	Q. He has never indicated to you
14	and they were putting on life jackets. So, I	14	that he wishes he had taken your advice and
15	couldn't tell you what he did after he left	15	let you drive him home?
16	my dock.	16	A. I've already told you several
17	Q. You don't know and no one has	17	times, the last time I spoke to him was on
18	given you any information on what was going	18	the dock that night, so, no.
19	on during that two-hour period?	19	Q. Have you talked to his brother?
20	A. No, sir, nobody's ever told me	20	A. I spoke to him that next day. I
21	anything.	21	may it was three years ago. I may have
22	Do you mind if I stand up? I've	22	spoken to him the next following day or
23	got a back injury.	23	something, but I don't recall the
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1	Q. No problem. I'm almost finished,	1	conversation.
2	too. I'm just trying to find something to	2	Q. Well, even if you don't recall
3		3	the specifics, did it seem to you that he had
4	Did you know the investigator	4	any information on what had happened?
5	that took your statement that is Exhibit	5	A. I don't recall. I don't I
6		6	don't know.
7	A. What was his name?	7	Q. Have you spoken to his parents?
8	Q. It may have been Sweatman or	8	A. No, sir.
9	Jonathan Newbanks.	9	Q. Anyone else in his family?
10	MR. KNIGHT: John Williams was	10	A. Like I said, it's been three
11		l	years ago. I don't know if his dad it
12		11	
13	the sheriff's office that was with him was	12	seems like I may have spoken to his dad on
	Scott Clay.	14	the phone, but I don't recall any of the
14	Q. (BY MR. HENINGER) Have you ever		conversation.
15	spoken with anyone that was at the property	15	Q. I asked Daniel at his deposition
16	where the collision occurred about what they	16	about what lights he had on that Sea-Doo, and
17	saw that night?	17	what he told me was I'm going to read it
18	A. No, sir.	18	to you.
19	Q. Has anyone told you	19	Question: Did the Sea-Doo have
20	A. No, sir.	20	headlights on it?
21	Q what they saw?	21	Answer: No.
22	Have you received any text	22	Question: Did it have any
1	messages from Daniel Snyder since this		lights?

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1	This wer. It did have a saction	1	A. I've never held that light. I
2	cap fight that I would put on there at hight.	2	don't line w. But, in my opinion, no, no
3	Question: Did you keep that in	3	just an illumination. It's a marker that
4	inc a compore.	4	people can see you. That's why it's got to
5	Answer: Yes. And that was the	5	be three hundred and sixty degrees.
6	rou and groom right.	6	Q. So, it doesn't help you see, it
7	And I think this photograph	7	helps other people see you?
8	Trusteer to its supposed to show its, units its	8	A. Correct.
9	confirmed that. Does that look familiar to	9	MR. HENINGER: That's all I have.
10	you? That's Exhibit 10	10	
11	A. It does.	11	EXAMINATION BY MR. WOLTER:
12	Q to his deposition.	12	
13	That's what you were talking	13	Q. Hunter, I'm Danny Wolter, and I
14	about being the red and green light, right?	14	represent Daniel Snyder and just have very
15	A. Yes, sir.	15	few questions.
16	Q. Then, he said that Exhibit 9 to	16	You don't know who was driving
17	his deposition is the all around three sixty	17	the Sea-Doo when they left your dock that
18	light that you mentioned earlier could be	18	night, correct?
19	held. Does that look familiar to you?	19	A. Correct.
20	A. Yes, it does. I said a Coleman	20	Q. And you obviously don't know who
21	early light, out I just remember a time	21	was driving the Sea-Doo when this unfortunate
22	hundred and sixty degree light.	22	accident happened, do you?
23	Q. And I asked him what was the	23	A. Correct.
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	purpose of that, and he said it that's	1	Q. And nobody has given you an
2	just facing up so other boats can see you.	2	opinion as to who was driving the Sea-Doo at
	And I said, it's not used to illuminate your	3	the time of the accident, have they?
	path? And he said, no. These are the lights	4	A. No, sir.
5	that the state requires to be out at night as	5	MR. WOLTER: That's all I have.
6	far as I know.	6	Thank you.
7	Do you know if there's any law	7	THE WITNESS: All right. Thank
8	that's any different than that?	8	you.
9	A. Not to my knowledge.	9	MR. HENINGER: Thanks.
10	Q. Have you operated a light like	10	FURTHER DEPONENT SAITH NOT.
11	this on the water with a boat or Sea-Doo	11	
12	before?	12	
13	A. I've never been on a Sea-Doo at	13	
14	night, no, sir.	14	
15	Q. So, I take it, you wouldn't know	15	
16	if that type light shown in Exhibit 9 in his	16	
17	deposition gives any light for your pathway	17	
18	as opposed to just being ambient lighting	18	
19	that alerts others that you're out on the	19	
20	water?	20	
21	A. What was the question?	21	
22	Q. Do you know if that light	22	
23	projects any light forward for your pathway?	23	
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1	CERTIFICATE	
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3	STATE OF ALABAMA )	
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	JEFFERSON COUNTY )	
5	I hereby certify that the above	
6	and foregoing deposition was taken down by me	
7	in stenotype, and the questions and answers	
	thereto were transcribed by means of	
	computer-aided transcription, and that the	
	foregoing represents a true and correct	
11	transcript of the testimony given by said	
12	witness upon said hearing.	
13	I further certify that I am	
	neither of counsel, nor of kin to the parties	
	to the action, nor am I an anywise interested	
	in the result of said cause.	
17		
18	s/s Michelle L. Parvin	
19	MICHELLE L. PARVIN	
20	Certified Court Reporter	
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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

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Plaintiff,		)	
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V.		) Case No.:	CV-2016-900001.00
		)	
SNYDER DANIEL B.,		)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	OWARD,	)	
WHITLOCK JEFFREY H	UNTER,	)	
Defendants.		)	

#### **ORDER**

Defendants', JEFFREY HOWARD WHITLOCK and JEFFREY HUNTER WHITLOCK, Motion for Summary Judgment is set on May 22, 2019, Civil Motion Docket at 9:00 a.m. The attorneys shall provide this Court with hard copies of Motions, Briefs (up to 20 pages), and arguments in support thereof, and any exhibits which are essential to support the argument no later than May 15, 2019.

**DONE this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019.** 

/s/ MARTHA E. WILLIAMS **CIRCUIT JUDGE** 

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#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

MARINA STEWART-MAGEE,	)	
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<b>Personal Representative of the Estate of</b>	)	
ALBINA AGDASOVNA	)	
SHARIFULLINA, Deceased,	)	
Plaintiff,	) )	Case No.: CV 16-900001
v.	)	
DANIEL B. SNYDER,	)	
Defendant.	)	

#### NOTICE TO CLERK OF FILING DISCOVERY

TO: Circuit Clerk of Cullman County

**Cullman County Courthouse** 

Please take notice that the following discovery document has been filed on behalf of defendant:

(X) Deposition Re-Notice-Trooper John Williams

/s/Daniel S. Wolter
Daniel S. Wolter (WOL012)
Attorney for Daniel B. Snyder

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019 the foregoing was electronically filed with the Clerk of this Court using the Court's electronic system, which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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David R. Wells MUDD, BOLVIG, LUKE & WELLS, LLC 2011 4th Avenue North Birmingham, AL 35203

/s/ Daniel S. Wolter
OF COUNSEL

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#### RULE 30 (B)(5) RE-NOTICE OF TAKING DEPOSITION AND REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

TO: Kendall A. Lee PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, Alabama 35216

Please take notice that at the time, date and place indicated below, the defendant will take the testimony by deposition upon oral examination of that party named. Such deposition shall be taken for the purpose of discovery or for use as evidence in this action pursuant to the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure and shall be taken before a certified court reporter and notary public, or some other person who is authorized to administer oaths under the laws of the State of Alabama. The oral examination will continue from time to time until completed.

DATE: April 4, 2019

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

**DEPONENT:** Trooper John Williams

PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. PLACE:

> 600 Vestavia Parkway, Suite 300 Birmingham, Alabama 35216

Daniel Snyder request the following documents be produced at the deposition:

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- Any and all documents, correspondence or reference of any type you have in your possession relating to Albina Sharifullina, Daniel Snyder, or the accident in which Sharifullina was killed on July 6, 2014.
- Any and all documents, correspondence or reference of any type you have in your 2. possession relating to plaintiff lawyer's firm and correspondence relating to plaintiff lawyer's firm.
- 3. Any and all reports prepared by you relating to any opinions you intend to give at the trial.
- 4. Any and all books, manuals, procedures and policies you reviewed in preparation of your opinion.
- A listing of all cases in which you have provided expert testimony of any kind including deposition testimony or trial testimony.
- 6. A listing of all attorneys that have ever retained you to provide an expert opinion of any kind including deposition testimony or trial testimony.
  - 7. A copy of the autopsy report relating to Albina Sharifullina.
- 8. All documents, photographs or items of any type that you reviewed or that you relied upon in reaching your opinions.
  - 9. Your entire investigative file relating to the accident involved in this case.
- 10. Any recordings of any witness statements taken in your investigation of the accident at issued in this case.

/s/Daniel S. Wolter\_ Daniel S. Wolter (WOL012) Attorney for Daniel B. Snyder

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<b>v.</b>	)
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#### NOTICE OF SERVICE OF DISCOVERY DOCUMENT

Comes now the Plaintiff, MARINA STEWART-MAGEE, as Administrator and Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF ALBINA AGDASOVNA SHARIFULLINA, deceased, and gives notice of serving the following discovery document on all counsel of record in the above-captioned lawsuit:

Plaintiff's Notice of Deposition of Lieutenant Daniel Cummings.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee
Mark W. Lee (LEE003)
Kendall A. Lee (LEE091)
Attorneys for Plaintiff

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

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## PLAINTIFF'S NOTICE OF DEPOSITION OF LIEUTENANT DANIEL CUMMINGS

TO: David R. Wells, Esq.
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**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that, pursuant to Rule 30 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff Marina Stewart-Magee, by and through her attorneys, Mark W. Lee and Kendall A. Lee, will take the deposition upon oral examination of Lieutenant Daniel Cummings for the purpose of discovery and/or for use as evidence in the above-captioned lawsuit.

**Deponent's Name:** Lieutenant Daniel Cummings

**Date:** April 10, 2019

**Time:** 10:00 a.m.

**Location:** Cullman County Sheriff's Office

1910 Beech Ave SE

Cullman, Alabama 35055

**Court Reporter:** Freedom Reporting

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

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Attorneys for Plaintiff

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/s/ Kendall A. Lee OF COUNSEL

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☐ Plaintiff's Notice of Deposition of Marilyn Whitlock.

/s/ Kendall A. Lee
Mark W. Lee (LEE003)
Kendall A. Lee (LEE091)
Attorneys for Plaintiff

#### **OF COUNSEL:**

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I hereby certify that I have on this 4th day of March, 2019, electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of the Court using the AlaFile system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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> /s/ Kendall A. Lee OF COUNSEL

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Plaintiff,	) CIVIL ACTION NO. ) CV-2016-900001	
<b>v.</b>	, )	
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#### NOTICE OF DEPOSITION OF MARILYN WHITLOCK

**TO:** David R. Wells, Esq.

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Birmingham, Alabama 35203

Daniel S. Wolter, Esq.

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**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that, pursuant to Rule 30 of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff Marina Stewart-Magee, by and through her attorneys, Mark W. Lee and Kendall A. Lee, will take the deposition upon oral examination of Marilyn Whitlock for the purpose of discovery and/or for use as evidence in the above-captioned lawsuit.

**Deponent's Name:** Marilyn Whitlock

**Date:** March 22, 2019

**Time:** 10:00 a.m.

**Location:** Cullman County Courthouse

500 2nd Ave SW, Room 306 Cullman, Alabama 35055 **Court Reporter:** Freedom Reporting

/s/ Kendall A. Lee

MARK W. LEE (LEE003) KENDALL A. LEE (LEE091)

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Ms. Marilyn Whitlock (via U.S. mail only) 2250 Beaver Creek Road Columbiana, Alabama 35051

David R. Wells, Esq.

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#### **NOTICE OF SERVICE OF DISCOVERY DOCUMENTS**

COME NOW the Defendants, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock, by and through counsel, and gives notice to the Clerk of this Court that the following discovery documents have been served upon opposing counsel in the above-styled cause.

- 1. Defendant Jeffrey Howard Whitlock's Responses to Plaintiff's Interrogatories;
- Defendant Jeffrey Howard Whitlock's Responses to Plaintiff's Request for Production;
- 3. Defendant Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock's Responses to Plaintiff's Interrogatories; and
- 4. Defendant Jeffrey Hunter Whitlock's Responses to Plaintiff's Request for Production.

/s/ David R. Wells
DAVID R. WELLS (WEL016)
Attorney for the Defendants,
Jeffrey Howard Whitlock and Jeffrey Hunter
Whitlock

#### OF COUNSEL:

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have served a complete copy of the foregoing instrument upon the following attorney of record via the electronic ALAFILE system, on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019.

Mark W. Lee Kendall A. Lee PARSONS, LEE & JULIANO, P.C. 600 Vestavia Parkway Suite 300 Birmingham, AL 35216 (205) 326-6600 mlee@pljpc.com klee@pljpc.com

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# <u>DEFENDANT JEFFREY HOWARD WHITLOCK'S RESPONSE TO</u> <u>PLAINTIFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES</u>

COMES NOW, the Defendant, Jeffrey Howard Whitlock, and for Response to the Plaintiff's First Set of Interrogatories, states as follows:

#### GENERAL OBJECTIONS

This Defendant objects to the instructions and the definitions made a part of the Plaintiff's Interrogatories to this Defendant. This Defendant does not agree to comply with the Plaintiff's instructions or definitions to the extent that those impose a greater burden or conflict with the requirements of the *Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure*. This Defendant will respond to this discovery in accordance with the applicable *Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure* and not instructions or definitions imposed by the Plaintiff's attorney.

1. State your full name, date of birth, current residential address, and social security number.

**RESPONSE:** Jeffrey Howard Whitlock; 9-11-52; 2250 Beaver Creek Road, Columbiana, Alabama 35051; XXX-XX-2541.

2. State the name, telephone number, and last known address of each and every person who visited your lake home on Saturday, July 5, 2014.

**RESPONSE:** This Defendant objects to this Interrogatory on the basis it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, not limited in time or scope, and seeks information which is irrelevant, immaterial and not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of evidence admissible at the trial of this case. Without waiving said objection, the Defendant states he does not know the phone number and address of the individuals who were at his lake home on Saturday, July 5, 2014. However, the following are the individuals he recalls being there: This Defendant's wife, Hunter Whitlock, Hollace Whitlock, Haylie Henley, Nick Sproul and his girlfriend, Matthew Devine, Jackson Abram, Chad Henley, Aaron Friece, Jug Twit and his girlfriend, Jug Twit's girlfriend's daughter and her husband and children, Daniel Snyder and Albina Sharifullina.

3. State the name, telephone number, and last known address of every person who was inside your lake home when Defendant Daniel B. Snyder and Albina ("Alya") Sharifullina departed your dock on Daniel Snyder's SeaDoo shortly after midnight on Sunday, July 6, 2014.

**RESPONSE:** I am not sure who was inside my home when Daniel Snyder and Albina Sharifullina left my home on Saturday, July 5, 2014.

4. State the name, telephone number, and last known address of every person who was on your lake home property when Defendant Daniel B. Snyder and Albina ("Alya") Sharifullina departed your dock on Daniel Snyder's SeaDoo shortly after midnight on Sunday, July 6, 2014.

**RESPONSE:** I do not know who was still was on my property when Daniel Snyder and Albina Sharifullina left my home on Saturday, July 5, 2014.

5. State the name, telephone number, and last known address of each and every

person known to you, your agents, and/or your attorneys who have knowledge or claim to have

knowledge of the events described in the Plaintiff's original Complaint and First Amended

Complaint.

**RESPONSE:** This Defendant objects to this Interrogatory on the basis it is overly broad,

unduly burdensome, not limited in time or scope, and seeks information which is irrelevant,

immaterial and not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of evidence admissible at the

trial of this case. This Defendant further objects to this Interrogatory to the extent it seeks

information invasive of the attorney-client privilege and work product doctrine. Without

waiving said objection, the Defendant states he is not certain who may have knowledge of the

events described in the Plaintiff's Complaint or Amended Complaint, other than the parties to

this litigation and individuals at home, assuming they were still present.

6. Please identify every cell phone number and provider that you had on July 5,

2014. For each account, provide the cell phone number, the cell phone provider, the type of cell

phone (e.g., iPhone 3, iPhone 4, Galaxy S, etc.), and state whether the account is still active.

**RESPONSE:** AT&T, iPhone, (205) 531-3000, active.

7. Please identify every cell phone number and provider that your spouse, Marilyn

Whitlock, had on July 5, 2014. For each account, provide the cell phone number, the cell phone

provider, the type of cell phone (e.g., iPhone 4, iPhone 5, Galaxy S, etc.), and state whether the

account is still active.

**RESPONSE:** AT&T, iPhone, (205) 601-4256 and active.

8. Describe, in specific detail, the location where Defendant Daniel B. Snyder's

SeaDoo was parked at your dock in the evening hours of July 5, 2014. In responding to this

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interrogatory, please identify the specific side of the dock where the SeaDoo was parked and the

direction in which the SeaDoo was facing while parked. Please also state whether the SeaDoo

was parked in a SeaDoo slip or boat slip.

**RESPONSE:** I do not know because I never saw Daniel Snyder's SeaDoo parked at the

dock.

9. Did you consume or take any alcoholic beverages, drugs, or medications on July

5, 2014? If so, please identify the substance consumed and state the quantity of substance

consumed, the time(s) of consumption, and the location where the consumption took place.

**RESPONSE:** Yes, I had three or four beers during the course of the day. I also took my

prescribed blood pressure medication.

10. State whether any policy or policies of insurance (including any umbrellas or

excess policies) exist which may provide coverage to you for any liability which may arise as a

result of the incident described in the Plaintiff's original Complaint and First Amended

Complaint and, if so, for each such policy, state the following:

(a) The name and address of the insurer;

(b) The policy number;

(c) The amount of liability insurance coverage afforded by each such policy;

(d) The name and address of each and every named insured under such policy; and

(e) Whether any such insurer is defending you in this matter under a reservation of

rights.

**RESPONSE:** Produced.

11. Have you ever been involved in any personal injury and/or wrongful death claims

or lawsuits? If so, state the nature of the claim or lawsuit, including the time and place of the